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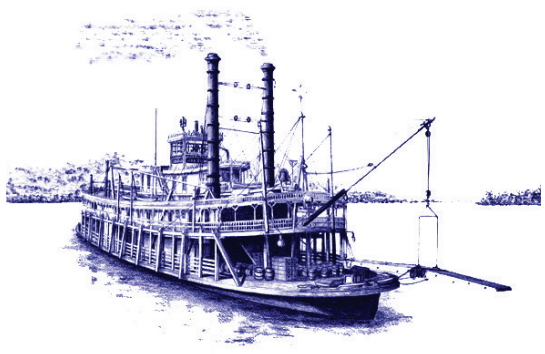

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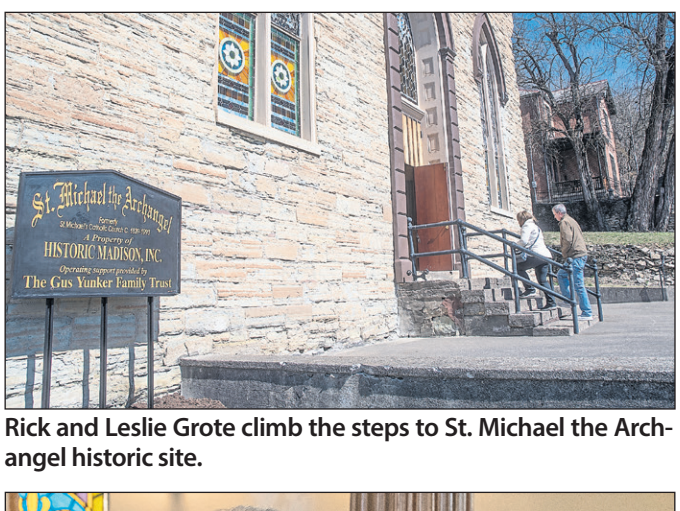
ST. MICHAEL'S OPEN HOUSE

Mark Campbell

A view from the organ loft at St. Michael the Archangel church provides a bird's-eye view of the wooden pews, alter and art glass windows at the 183-year-old structure while visitors mingle below during Sunday's open house.

Thomas Stark (left) discusses the history of St. Michael the Archangel with Michelle and Rob Barlow during Sunday's open house at the 183-year-old former Catholic church built by Irish immigrants and now a property of Historic Madison Inc.



Rick and Leslie Grote climb the steps to St. Michael the Archangel historic site.

The alter, with statues and fixtures, at St. Michael the Archangel church

Boone Lodge (left) greets visitors at the Historic Madison Inc. open house at St. Michael of the Archangel church on Sunday. The former Catholic church built in 1838 and 1839 mostly by Irish immigrants and now a property of HMI, was opened to the public ahead of the St. Patrick's Day holiday on Thursday.

Two people charged with trafficking meth

Hanover man charged with residential entry

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison Police arrested two Louisville men Sunday after a traffic stop led to the discovery of 48 grams of methamphetamine along with other drugs and paraphernalia.

Ethan Coots

Michael Edmondson

Ethan A. Coots, 24, and Michael Sanchez Edmondson, 38, were arrested following a traffic stop in the 900 block of Jefferson Street executed by Madison Police Patrolman Cameron Blankenship.

Due to the "significant amount" of methamphetamine, and other evidence discovered during the investigation, both Coots and Edmondson both face Level 2 felony Dealing Methamphetamine charges. In addition, both men also face three Level 3 felony Possession of Methamphetamine charges, along with Possession of a Schedule Drug, Possession of Marijuana and Possession of Paraphernalia, all Class A misdemeanors.

Both men were lodged in the Jefferson County Jail without bond.

Blankenship was assisted with the investigation by Capt. Dan Slygh and Senior Patrolman Chad Wehner.

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House panel advances medical marijuana

BY BRUCE SCHREINER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT — Medical marijuana advocates in Kentucky cleared an initial hurdle last week when a House committee advanced House Bill 136 to legalize the use of cannabis for medical purposes.

The measure won strong bipartisan support to clear the House Judiciary Committee and move on to the full House, where a similar version passed two years ago. The bill's biggest test would likely come if it reaches the Senate — where the 2020 version died. Republicans have overwhelming majorities in both chambers.

The bill's supporters said medical cannabis would ease the suffering of many Kentuckians.

"The best part about this bill is it lets sick people get safe product," Republican Rep. Jason Nemes, the proposal's lead sponsor, told the House panel.

Nemes said the bill features layers of safeguards and acknowledged that it's drafted "tighter" than he'd prefer in hopes of building support. And he stressed his opposition to recreational marijuana.

"This is not a wink, wink, nod, nod to get to recreational," he said.

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Open seat putting a lot of hats in Congressional race

BY BOB DEMAREE

After Congressman Trey Hollingsworth announced that he would not seek reelection in Indiana's 9th District, a slew of Republicans and Democrats announced candidacies for that seat.

Erin Houchin

Erin Houchin was initially one of two Republicans to file candidacy in the district, but in the two weeks that followed seven more filed to now make it a nine-person race, six entering in the last week of filing.

Houchin was in Madison last month to talk about this year's 9th District Congressional District campaign. She noted she was not surprised by the huge turnout for the seat. "Not in an open congressional seat; the fact there will be a lot of people that vie for it, and will try to be the nominee," she said.

Hollingsworth, who has served as the 9th District Congressional representative since being elected in 2016, announced Jan. 12 he would not seek reelection.

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Kentucky lawmakers advance COVID-19 bill on immunizations

Bill would prevent some reporting requirements

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A bill moving through the Kentucky legislature would prevent state and local governments, as well as public colleges, from requiring employees or students to disclose COVID-19 immunization status.

Last week, the bill passed the Kentucky House of Representatives by a 71-22 vote, and was received in the Senate.

The measure also would allow parents to opt out of a coronavirus vaccine for their school-aged children on the basis of "conscientiously held beliefs."

The bill was introduced more than two months ago, but didn't start advancing until last week when its sponsors agreed to a more limited version that dropped a proposed ban on private employers from inquiring about vaccination status of their employees or customers. The House agreed to another change Thursday to remove nonprofits from the measure.

The measure would protect employees of public entities from "adverse action" for refusing to disclose their COVID-19 immunization status.

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March 11

Joey R. Howard 22, for Possession of Methamphetamine and Criminal Trespass, both Level 6 felonies. No bond.

Christopher Lee McCoy, 38, for Residential Entry, a Level 6 felony; and Criminal Trespass, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

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Ethan A. Coots, 24, for Manufacturing/Dealing Methamphetamine, a Level 2 felony; Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 3 felony; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond.

Michael Sanchez Edmondson, 38, for Manufacturing/Dealing Methamphetamine, a Level 2 felony; Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 3 felony; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond.

Daniel R. Scott, 61, for Operating as Vehicle While Intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor and Operating as Vehicle While Intoxicated, a Class C misdemeanor. Bond $500 cash.

Paula Lynn Stewart, 36, on a Jefferson County warrant for Failure to Appear. Bond $250 cash.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

SENTENCINGS

March 10

Alexus Brooke Chatham, 29, Madison, for amemded charge of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for eight days served and 532 days suspended for probation with community corrections plus $685 in fees and court costs.

Gary Allen Youngblood, 53, Hanover, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to three years at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 344 days served and one year suspended for probation with community corrections plus $585 in fees and court costs

Curtis R. Baker, 43, Dupont, for Domestic Battery, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 360 days jail with credit for six days served and 354 days suspended for probation plus $600 in fees and court costs.

Bryan Scott Combs, Lexington, Kentucky, for Auto Theft, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 134 days served plus $285 in fees and court costs. Released without conditions.

Bryce Allan Bushong, 22, Madison, for Domestic Battery-Moderate Bodily Injury, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 360 days jail with credit for 86 days served and 274 days suspended for probation plus $505 in fees and court costs.

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Robert Robertson, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 72 days served and 468 days suspended for probation with community corrections.

Angela M. Huff, 35, Dupont, for Auto Theft, a Level 6 felony and Criminal Mischief, a misdemeanor. Sentenced to 428 days at Indiana Department of Correction on count one and 60 days jail on count two, with credit for 428 days served on count one and 60 days served on count two plus $285 in fees and court costs. Released without conditions.

Anthony Todd Wiseman, 55, Lexington, for Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated-Endangerment, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days jail with credit for two days served and 355 days suspended for probation with community corrections.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Donald W. Trowbridge (grantor) to Donald W. Trowbridge Jr. and Donald W. Trowbridge (grantee), 1 acre at 8888 N. County Road 1000 W., Commiskey.

Mary Lou Munior (grantor) to Mary Lou Munior-trust (grantee), 421 Mill Street, Madison.

Regina Bailey and Sean Hoevener (grantors) to Jerry Eversole and Emily Joy Hoevener, 338 E. Lagrange Road, Hanover.

Dwight J. Bruther and Linda L. Bruther (grantors) to Jose Luis Aguilar, Anna Deisy Zavala and Karen Yessely Aguilar Zavala, 3509 W. Fred Harrell Drive, Madison.

Printis Shelton (grantor) to Raymond Godward and Donna Godward (grantees), 513 W. Main Street, Madison.

Cynthia Withrow (grantor) to Hayden Q. Rapp, 726 W. Third Street, Madison.

Duke awards STEM grant to Hanover College

Hanover College last week was awarded a $15,000 grant from the Duke Energy Foundation to support its Summer STEM Enrichment Program for high school students.

The STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) Enrichment Program aims to increase the number of underserved high school students who attend college and introduce them to fields and careers in STEM. Students enrolled in the program will attend a weeklong residential academy on campus. Duke Energy funds will also be used to offer professional development and materials to area high school STEM teachers.

The grant was part of $300,000 in funding awarded to 24 education programs in communities throughout Indiana.

"Our educators and students are facing tremendous challenges teaching and learning as we emerge from the pandemic," said Stan Pinegar, president of Duke Energy Indiana. "It's more important now than ever before that we support and invest in opportunities for our children in the communities we serve to thrive and reach their full potential."

MARIJUANA

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Under the bill, doctors could prescribe medical cannabis for a specified list of conditions that include multiple sclerosis, chronic pain, epilepsy and nausea.

Eric Crawford, a steadfast medical marijuana advocate, made another plea to lawmakers Thursday.

"We all deserve legal access to a safe product without fear of the law," he told the committee. "Don't make sick people criminals."

Crawford said he uses medical marijuana as an alternative to opioids to deal with pain and muscle spasms from injuries he suffered in a vehicle crash more than two decades ago.

"Medical cannabis allows me to be a more productive member of society and gives me a better quality of life," he said.

If Kentucky joins the majority of states that have legalized medical marijuana, four types of related businesses would result in the Bluegrass State — farmers who grow the cannabis, processors, dispensaries and safety testers, Nemes said.

The bill also includes "home rule" provisions, Nemes said. The bill would make medical cannabis legal statewide but county fiscal courts or commissions could vote to disallow it, he said. However, he added, communities in those counties would have the option to allow it.

The measure drew resistance from Republican Rep. Kimberly Poore Moser. She raised concerns the bill would create "a pretty big government bureaucracy."

And she said additional research is needed on cannabis.

"I just think that we need to know for sure before we call something a medicine," she said.

ARRESTED

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Elsewhere, a Hanover man was arrested Friday by Hanover Police for breaking and entering into a residence.

Christopher Lee McCoy

Carrie Duke

Hanover Police reported Christopher Lee McCoy, 38, Hanover, entered the residence without permission and had never lived there. McCoy has been charged with Residential Entry, a Level 6 felony, and Criminal Trespass, a Class A misdemeanor. He also was lodged in the Jefferson County Jail without bond.

Meanwhile, a Lexington, Indiana, woman was arrested on multiple drug charges by police in Scott County last Wednesday.

Carrie Duke, 39, Lexington, Indiana, was arrested by the Scott County Sheriff's Office after being found in her vehicle in the roadway and asleep behind the wheel at Main Street and Cutshall Road in northern Scott County.

Drugs, cash and paraphernalia were seized by the Scott County Sheriff's Department.

Duke was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, both Level 6 felonies; along with misdemeanor Possession and Dealing in Marijuana and Possession of a Schedule I, II, II or IV Controlled Substance.

Duke was lodged in the Scott County Jail on $1,500 full cash bond.

RACE

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The next day, Bill J. Thomas of Corydon, who sought the office as a Democrat in 2014 and 2016, had filed as a Republican, then Houchin on Jan. 18 and former Congressman Mike Sodrel on Jan. 24. Then, in the last week of filing, the number of candidates ballooned with six more entries including Stu Barnes Israel, J. Michael Davisson, D. Eric Schansberg, Dan Heiwig, Brian Tibbs and Jim Baker.

Meanwhile, there have been three candidates file in the Democratic primary for the 9th District Congressional District seat — Isak Asare, Liam Dorris and Matt Fyfe.

"Campaigns are always challenging," Houchin said. "They are all different and unique. I think in this particular case I stand out among the pack for an obvious reason, I'm the only female candidate in the race. But I also have a proven record of fighting for conservative values and that sets me apart, too."

Houchin previously sought the 9th District Congressional seat in 2016 when she lost to Hollingsworth in a five-person primary. "We came in a close second place to Congressman Hollingsworth," she said. "I learned a lot in that effort and I think it made me a better legislator in the process." She said that her previous campaign for Congress helped her to be more prepared when Hollingsworth made the decision to not seek reelection, noting it "helped me to be able to launch very quickly and campaign from day one."

When Houchin ran for Congress previously, the 9th District did not include Jefferson and Switzerland counties, but following redistricting after 2020, both counties are back in the district that they had been a part of for many years prior to the last decade.

Houchin, of Salem, said she's very familiar with this area. "I am happy with the new Congressional district," Houchin said. "I grew up in Scott County so Jefferson County has always been a neighbor. I know it well. I work with a lot of folks over here including Mayor (Bob) Courtney and others that are supporting the campaign."

Houchin has been working with local officials including Courtney and Jefferson County Prosecutor David Sutter through her communications company, Contend Communications & Development LLC, with just three employees including herself. "We provide public relations and communication services to a variety of clients, but mainly in the law enforcement space, and for local governments," said Houchin, who characterized her work as "helping people tell their story."

Houchin's husband, Dustin, has served as Washington County Prosecutor since 2006 and she said she is "particularly passionate about helping our law enforcement communicate the hard work that they do, the dangerous work that they do, the selfless work that they do on behalf of our communities and being there to be a support for them," she said.

Former Congressman Mike Sodrel is a candidate who has experienced what it's like to serve in Congress, defeating then incumbent Democrat Baron Hill by 1,500 votes in 2004, and serving one term. But Sodrel lost the general election in 2006 and 2008 to Hill, and then in the 2010 Republican primary to Todd Young, who now a U.S. Senator.

J. Michael Davisson of Salem was appointed to the state House Oct. 21 to fill a vacancy created by the death of his father and former Rep. Steve Davisson, and now is running for Congress. Davisson served in the U.S. Army for 17 years, earning the Combat Infantry Badge, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Metal five times, the Army Achievement Medal, and more honors. He presently operates Good Living Pharmacy in Salem as president and CEO with his brothers.

Brian Tibbs is a former senior pastor at Charlestown Independent Church who filed in 2020 for Indiana state representative in the 66th district, losing to Zach Payne by less than 300 votes in the primary. Payne went on defeat incumbent Terry Goodin in the general election.

Daniel Eric Schansburg is a professor of economics at Indiana University Southeast, who previously ran for Congress in 2006 and 2008 as a Libertarian. He's the author of two books on public policy — "Poor Policy: How Government Harms the Poor" and "Turn Neither to the Right nor to the Left: A Thinking Christian's Guide to Politics and Public Policy," along with numerous articles for journals.

Jim Baker, Charlestown, is a business owner and commercial real estate broker.

Stu Barnes-Israel, Greensburg, served seven years of active-duty military service, serving in Afghanistan, and also in Germany and at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, on the U.S.-Mexico border.

Dan Heiwig, Seymour, has served as an infantry officer and enlisted soldier in the U.S. Army for more than 20 years.

Bill J. Thomas, Corydon, previously ran as a Democrat for 9th District Congress in the 2014 and 2016 primaries. In his website from his previous campaigns that still references when he was a Democrat.

All three Democratic candidates Asare, Dorris and Fyfe — are from Bloomington.

Dorris previously ran in the 2020 Democratic primary in which Andy Ruff was the nominee who went on to lose to Hollingsworth in the general election. Dorris served four years active duty in the U.S. Marine Corps

Asare serves on the Indiana University faculty as co-director for the Cybersecurity and Global Policy Program.

Fyfe is a teacher and is emphasizing his experience in education as a means to bring people together.

Jacob Bailey, a Bloomington elementary teacher, has filed to run for the Green Party during the general election.

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Sunrise: 7:50 a.m.
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Temperature: High 61, Low 41, Mean 51.0, Excess 10.8
Precipitation since last published: .07.
Precipitation, March: 2.44.
Precipitation, 2022: 13.92.
Barometer: 30.33, Rising
River Level at IKE: 434.8, Falling
Three-Day Forecast: Wednesday: Mostly sunny High 68/Low 43; Thursday: Partly cloudy High 68/Low 49; Friday: Thundershowers High 60/Low 41.

LOTTERY

IINDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 3-4-13-22-32-33 (3/12). Next Estimated Jackpot: $8.4 million. Next Drawing (3/16).
Daily 3: 9-4-4 SB: 8
Daily 4: 8-9-9-1 SB: 8
Cash Five: 6-16-17-21-24 (3/13)
Cash 4 Life: 7-15-16-18-60 CB: 1 (3/13)

KENTUCKY
Pick 3: 8-9-0
Pick 4: 1-8-0-6
Cash Ball: 5-7-14-21 CB: 12 (3/13)
Lucky For Life: 4-7-9-15-28 LB: 11 (3/13)

MEGAMILLIONS
24-28-39-44-66 MB: 25, MP: x3 (3/11). Next Estimated Jackpot: $22 million. Next Drawing (3/15)

POWERBALL
19-20-37-39-61 PB: 8 PP: 2 (3/12). Next Estimated Jackpot: $124 million. Next Drawing (3/14)

POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY
4-16-40-49-50 PB: 15 (3/2). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (3/14)

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

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OBITUARIES

Jeanette Andrew

M. Jeanette Bowman Andrew, 78, of Vevay, Indiana, died Thursday, March 10, 2022, at the Thornton Terrace Health Campus in Hanover, Indiana.

She was born on Oct. 16, 1943, in Madison, Indiana, to Carl Emery and Marie Crafton Bowman. She was raised in Jefferson County, Indiana, and was a graduate of Southwestern High School in 1962. She married John B. "Johnny" Andrew on July 9, 1964, in Hanover, and they had three children. She was employed as a sales clerk for CVS Pharmacy in Vevay, Indiana, retiring in 2006 after 22 years of service. She farmed with her husband in Vevay for many years. She enjoyed gardening and owned and operated J&J Greenhouse in Vevay for 15 years. She was a former chairman for the Switzerland County Republican Party and a former 4-H volunteer from 1985-2008 and past board member. She was a former leader of the Rockers 4-H Club with her husband and served on the Switzerland County Soil and Water Conservation Board and was a member of the Mt. Sterling Baptist Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Jill Richards of Vevay; her sons, Billy Andrew of Vevay and Jay Andrew of Colorado Springs, Colorado; three sisters, Phyllis Moore of Anderson, Indiana, Linda Elles of Hanover and Susie Lyons of Canaan, Indiana; and six grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 44 years on Nov. 18, 2008; her brothers, Ronald Bowman and Kenneth Bowman; and two sisters, Rosie Amick and Jo Ann Vest.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, March 16, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay. Interment will follow in the Vevay Cemetery in Vevay. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Johnny Andrew 4-H Scholarship Fund c/o CFSCI or Switzerland County 4-H c/o Switzerland County 4-H Fair Board. Online condolences, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

Michael Cutshaw Sr.

Michael Lee Cutshaw Sr., 73, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Sunday, Jan. 16, 2022, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville.

He was born on Aug. 12, 1948, in Madison, Indiana, to Paul Aaron Cutshaw and Pauline Searcy Cutshaw Poindexter of Carrollton. He was retired from South Central Bell Telephone Company as a service crew technician. He had served in the US Navy during the Vietnam Era, receiving the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal and Meritorious Unit Commendation. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Carrollton and the American Legion Post No. 41 in Carrollton.

Survivors include his mother, Pauline Searcy Cutshaw Poindexter of Carrollton; his son, Michael Lee Cutshaw Jr. of Carrollton; his brother, Myron Cutshaw of Carrollton; two sisters, Marilyn Hagerdon of Ghent, Kentucky and Nina Cutshaw Oney of Cape Coral, Florida; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father on July 6, 2014 and his wife, Peggy O'Neal Cutshaw, on April 19, 2016.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 19, at the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Carrollton. American Legion Post No 41 in Carrollton will present full Military Honors at the graveside.

Arrangements entrusted to Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton.

Online condolences, www.tandyecklerrileyfuneralhome.com.

Charles Patton

Charles Edward Patton, 87, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Sunday, March 13, 2022, a Baptist Health La Grange in La Grange, Kentucky.

He was born on Aug. 11, 1934, in Salyersville, Kentucky, to Kellie Patton and Dessie Fletcher Patton, He grew up in Burning Fork, Kentucky, and was a 1952 graduate of Magoffin County High School. He had worked at Dow Corning Chemical Company in Carrollton as an industrial mechanic retiring in 1992. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Carrollton, the Greenville Masonic Lodge No. 655 F&A.M. in Caney, Kentucky, and the Scottish Rite, Valley of Covington, 32nd Degree.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda Fern Lykins Patton of Carrollton; his son, Douglas Edward Patton of Madison, Indiana; a daughter, Rebecca P. Smith of Perry Park, Kentucky; a sister, Carrie Swears of Detroit; and two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, Paul Patton, Franklin Patton, Clifton Patton and James H. Patton; and two sisters, Opal Patrick and Velma Hackworth.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, March 16, 2022, at the First Baptist Church in Carrollton. Burial will be in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Carrollton. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until the time of service on Wednesday.

Arrangements entrusted to Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton.

Memorial gifts may be given to the First Baptist Church of Carrollton Youth through the funeral home. Online condolences, www.tandyecklerrileyfuneralhome.com.

William Gregory

William Lee Gregory, 78, of Madison, Indiana, died Thursday, March 10, 2022, at Hickory Creek of Columbus, Indiana.

He was born on Feb. 8, 1944, in Milan, Indiana, to John and Nancy Jennings Gregory. He was a US Air Force veteran of the Vietnam War. He married Donna Sue Weber on May 18, 1963, and was owner and operator of a pawn shop and enjoyed woodworking, collecting antiques and arrowhead hunting.

Survivors include his children, Brook Gregory and Paige Sansone; a brother, Lynn Gregory; and a grandson, Matthew Gregory.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife of 47 years in 2010; a sister, Sharon Gregory; and two brothers, Patrick and Raye Gregory.

Cremation was chosen with no services scheduled at this time.

Arrangements entrusted to Barkes, Weaver & Glick Funeral Home in Columbus.

Online condolences, www.barkesweaverglick.com.

Thomas Chadwell

Thomas "JR" Chadwell, 52, of Carrollton, died Friday, Feb. 25, 2022, at his residence.

He was born on Aug. 18, 1970, in Lawrenceburg, Kentucky, to Iva Lee Brown and Thomas "Tommy" Chadwell. He resided in Carrollton all of his life and was a graduate of Carroll County High School where he played baseball. He was currently employed at LG&E in Bedford, Kentucky. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, golfing and loved to play pool.

Survivors include his mother of Georgia and father of Osgood, Indiana; his children, Lynna Bitzel and Thomas Chadwell, both of Hanover, Indiana and Cheyenne Chadwell, of Indiana; a stepdaughter, Kay Baker of Madison, Indiana; his sisters, April Chadwell-Roose, Ronetta Chadwell-Micheal and Nicolette Chadwell-Sullivan; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 14, at the Graham-Dunn Funeral Home in Carrollton. Burial was in the Mt. Minish Cemetery in Owen County, Kentucky.

Online condolences, www.grahamdunnfh.com.

Silas Fletcher

Silas Aaron Fletcher, 47, of Switzerland County, Indiana, died Monday, March 7, 2022, in Cincinnati.

Silas was born on Sept. 16, 1974, in Margao Goa, India, to Josh and Amy Fletcher, and traveled the world extensively prior to the age of 5, having lived in India, Nepal, Pakistan and Guatemala with his missionary parents. He attended Switzerland County Elementary School and Switzerland County High School for four years and attained his GED in 1994. He worked for Dow Corning Corp., in Carrollton, Kentucky; Hanover Nursing Center in Hanover, Indiana; Rotary Lift Corp. and King's Daughters' Hospital, both in Madison; and UPS. He was a member of the National Guard from 1995 through June of 2000 and specialized as a mechanic for infantry and artillery. He will be remember for a kind heart, sense of humor, love of family and appreciation of good music and food.

Survivors include his parents and his stepmother, Barbara Ross Fletcher; his siblings, Eric Fletcher, Anna Stewart, Christina Fletcher, Ben Ross, and Fletcher Ross; and nine nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Andrew Stephen Ross, in November 2021.

A celebration of life will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, March 19, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, Indiana. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. until the time of services Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to 1Voice Recovery, 111 5th Street, Aurora Indiana 47001 or www.1voicesoutheastern-indiana.org through the the funeral home or online, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

Bobby Kelley

Bobby Gayle Kelley, 79, of Milton, Kentucky, died Thursday, March 10, 2022, at his home in Milton.

He was born on Jan. 25, 1943, in Trimble County, Kentucky, to Henry Clay and Cora Tilley Kelley. He graduated from Carrollton High School in Carrollton, Kentucky, and was inducted into the US Army on Feb. 5, 1962, in Los Angeles. He rose to the rate of private first class serving in the Vietnam War era. He was honorably discharged on Nov. 12, 1964, at Fort Lewis, Washington, and received the parachutist badge. He remained in the Reserves until being discharged on Feb. 4, 1968. He married Judy L. Hackney and lived five years in Alaska where he did architectural Concrete.

Survivors include his brother, Phillip Douglas Kelley of Milton; his sister, Loretta Shoopman of Bedford, Kentucky; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his his parents; and his wife of 50 years on Dec. 12, 2019.

Military rites will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, March 16, by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Chapel in Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery there.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice through the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Micky Storie

Micky Don Storie, 81, of Floyds Knobs, Indiana, died Friday, March 11, 2022, at his home.

He was born in Madison, Indiana, on Aug. 28, 1940, to Arthur Roscoe Storie and Portia Kidwell Storie. He was a 1958 graduate of Madison High School. He was employed at The Madison Courier newspaper and later at the Louisville Courier Journal and Times where he retired after 32 years of service as a printer and in the photography department. He was a charter member and elder at Calvary Christian Church in Sellersburg, Indiana, where he served as a Sunday school teacher for many years. He enjoyed making and collecting knives, whittling hiking sticks for his grandchildren and was an avid hobby photographer and developer. He had a passion for cars, motorcycles and always enjoyed a good meal. He enjoyed target shooting, gunsmithing, teaching gun safety to his grandchildren and was a lifetime NRA member.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Karen Lee Orr Storie; a daughter Melanie Kay Sherrard; and three grandchildren, Jonathan Sherrard, Kathryn Givan, and Matthew Sherrard and 11 great grandchildren.

A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, March 18, at Calvary Christian Church in Sellersburg. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday at the Newcomer Funeral Home, 3309 Ballard Lane, New Albany, Indiana, and 10 a.m. until the time of service Friday at the church.

Online condolences, www.newcomerkentuckiana.com.

Robert Clegg

Robert Sauley Clegg, 92, of Colorado Springs, Colorado and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died on Friday, March 11, 2022.

He was born in Elnora, Indiana, on July 26, 1929, to Virgil E. and Edith Sauley Clegg. He attended Madison and Scottsburg, Indiana, elementary schools and was a 1947 graduate of Madison High School. He attended Hanover College in Hanover, Indiana, and received his bachelor of science degree from the University of Southern Mississippi. On May 22, 1949, he married Priscilla Eckert and they resided in Madison until 1953 and had one daughter. He joined the US Air Force during the Korean War in 1952 and was honorably discharged as staff sergeant after serving four years active duty. He was hired by the Air Force as a training instructor and worked in several capacities during his 34 years with the Department of Defense in Gulfport, Mississippi. He retired in 1984 as Chief of the Computer Systems Branch at Keesler Technical Training Center in Biloxi, Mississippi. He resided in Gulfport for more than 50 years during his employment with the Air Force before moving back to Madison in 2007 after Hurricane Katrina devastated the Mississippi Gulf Coast. He was widowed in 2009 and remarried on Dec. 9, 2011 to Mary Margaret Moorhead of Versailles, Indiana, who had been a friend in high school and was also widowed. During his tenure with the Air Force, he was recipient of numerous awards and commendations for course developments, foreign training and technical participation in contract negotiations including recognition from the Joint Chiefs of Staff at the Pentagon, He received Outstanding Employee of the Year at Keesler Air Force Base; letters of commendation from Strategic Air Command; and recognition from civilian government contractors, both stateside and foreign. He was a member of Versailles Baptist Church, a 65-year member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Madison, Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, and a lifetime member of the Madison Elks Club, Major Samuel Woodfill American Legion Post 9, the National Rifle Association, and the Gulfport Yacht Club. He was an antique gun collector and member of the Ohio Gun Collectors Association and Mississippi and Alabama Gun Collectors. He had owned and operated Mississippi Trading Company, LTD in Gulfport, specializing and dealing in antique weapons. He also performed appraisals for the Civil War Museum in New Orleans.

Survivors include his daughter, Susan Louise Murray; his granddaughter Sarah Larimore Fischer; and two great granddaughters Ellen Fischer and Ada Fischer, all of Colorado Springs.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife of 60 years; and his second wife of seven years on April 21, 2018.

A private burial service will be held at Springdale Cemetery in downtown Madison. A final salute with military honors will be conducted by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity United Methodist Church or the Versailles Baptist Church through the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Gobel Pyles

Gobel Todd Pyles, 48, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Wednesday, March 9, 2022.

He was born on Feb. 27, 1974, to Elmer Pyles and Mary Doll Moore. He was employed as an equipment operator for Oldham County Stone. He enjoyed four-wheeling and side-by-sides, remote-controlled cars and trucks, Legos and Coca-Cola.

Survivors include two sons, Zachary Logan Pyles of Eminence, Kentucky and Conner Pyles of Carrollton; three daughters, Courtney Pyles of Cincinnati and Kassidy Pyles and Gracie Pyles, both of Carrollton; a brother, Kenny Miller of Carrollton; and a sister, Sandra Frazier of Vevay, Indiana.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a nephew and niece.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, at the Graham-Dunn Funeral Home in Carrollton. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until time of services on Tuesday. Burial will be in English Cemetery near Carrollton.

Online condolences, www.grahamdunnfh.com.

Mary Hoefling passed in 2001.

This year, she gave $91,300 to local nonprofit organizations.

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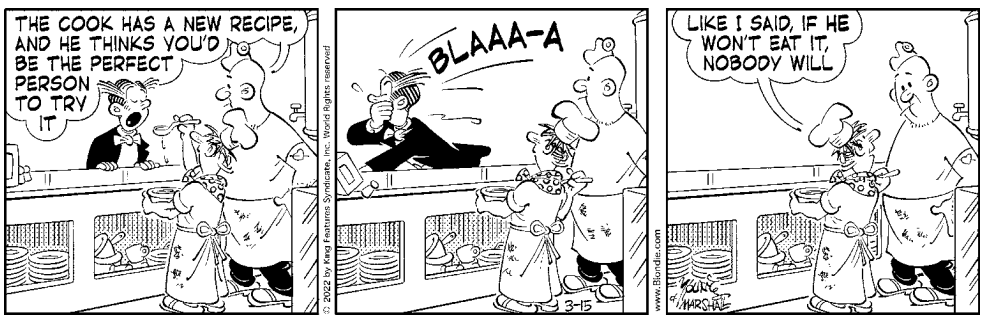
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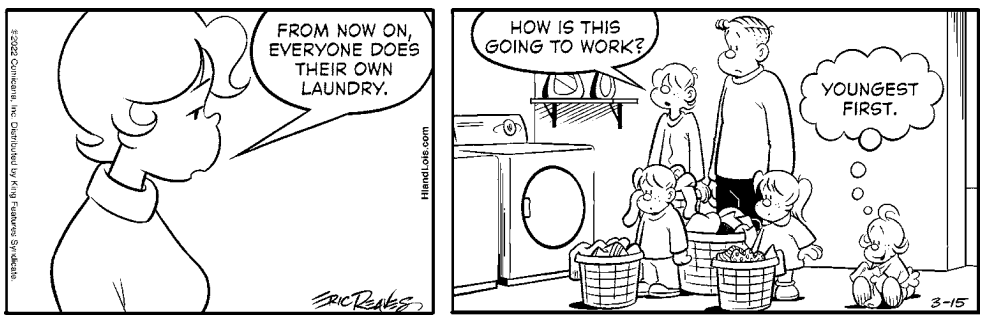

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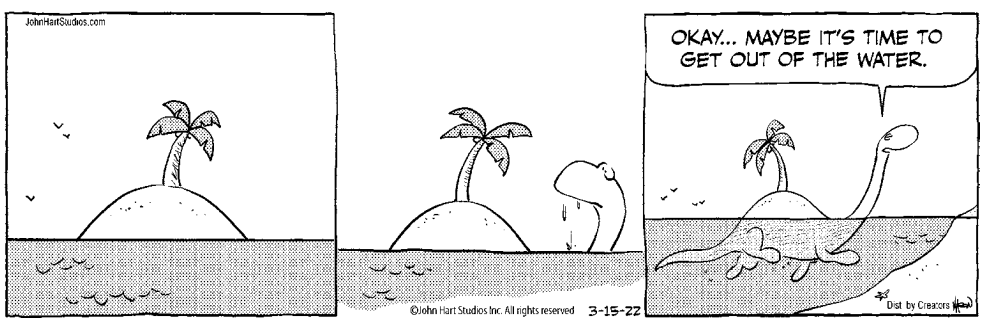
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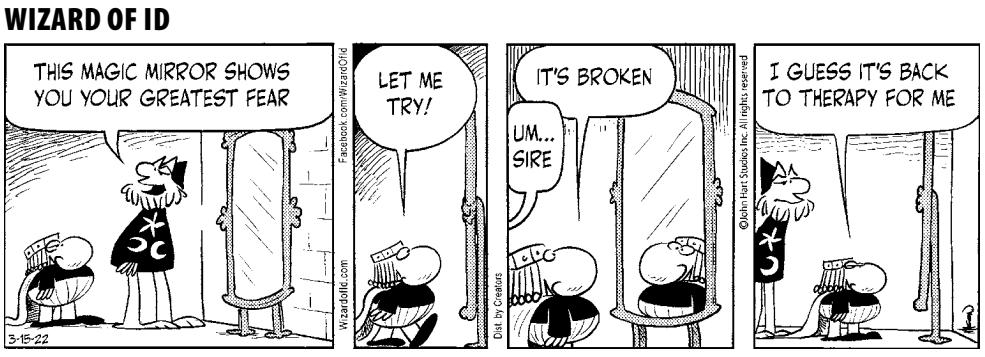

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WELCOME TO MY MASTER CLASS IN THE FINE ART OF DOING NOTHING
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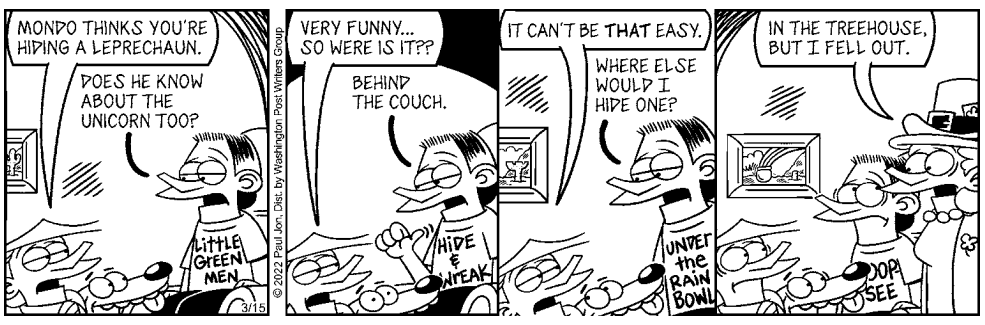
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DOES HE KNOW ABOUT THE UNICORN TOO?
LITTLE GREEN MEN
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VERY FUNNY... SO WERE IS IT??
BEHIND THE COUCH.
HIDE & SNEAK
IT CAN'T BE THAT EASY.
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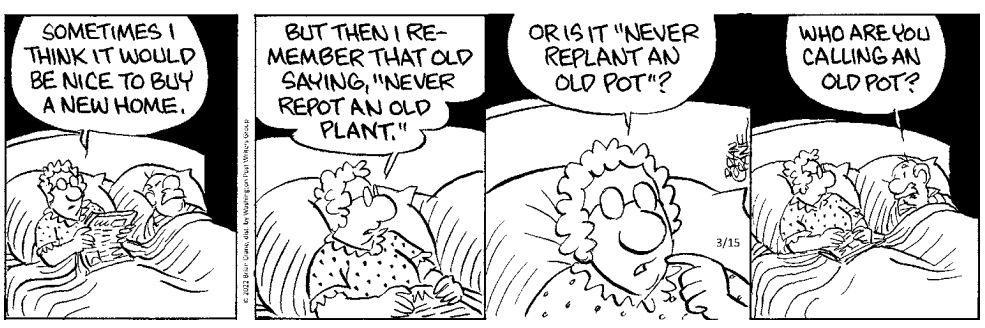
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BUT THEN I REMEMBER THAT OLD SAYING, "NEVER REPOT AN OLD PLANT."
OR IS IT "NEVER REPLANT AN OLD POT"?
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WHO ARE YOU CALLING AN OLD POT?
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"We're walkin' on our tippy-toes, Grandma, so we don't bother the peoples downstairs."

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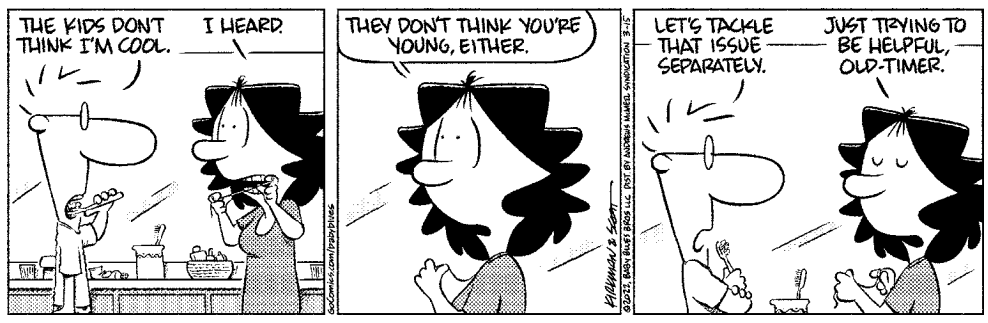
THE KIDS DON'T THINK I'M COOL.
I HEARD.
THEY DON'T THINK YOU'RE YOUNG, EITHER.
LET'S TACKLE THAT ISSUE SEPARATELY.
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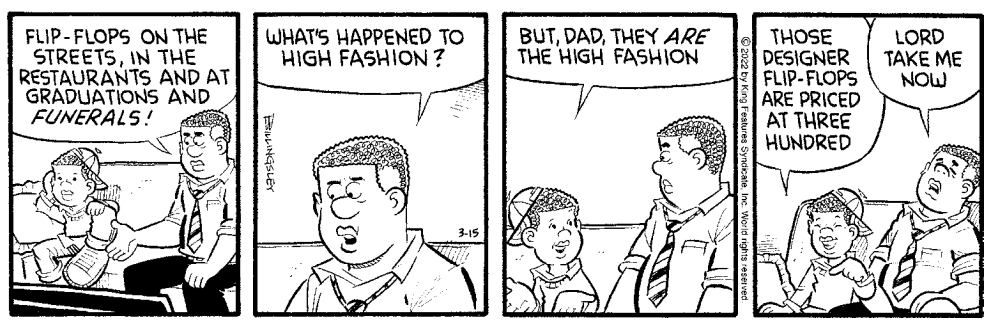
FLIP-FLOPS ON THE STREETS, IN THE RESTAURANTS AND AT GRADUATIONS AND FUNERALS!
WHAT'S HAPPENED TO HIGH FASHION?
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BUT, DAD, THEY ARE THE HIGH FASHION
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LORD TAKE ME NOW
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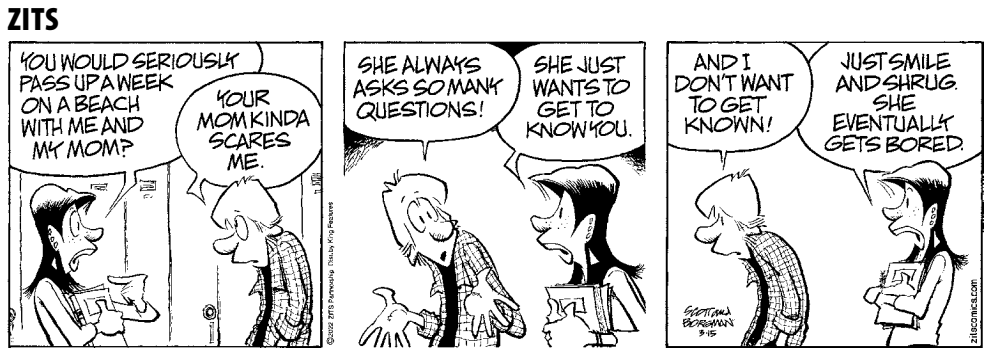
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YOUR MOM KINDA SCARES ME.
SHE ALWAYS ASKS SO MANY QUESTIONS!
SHE JUST WANTS TO GET TO KNOW YOU.
AND I DON'T WANT TO GET KNOWN!
JUST SMILE AND SHRUG. SHE EVENTUALLY GETS BORED.
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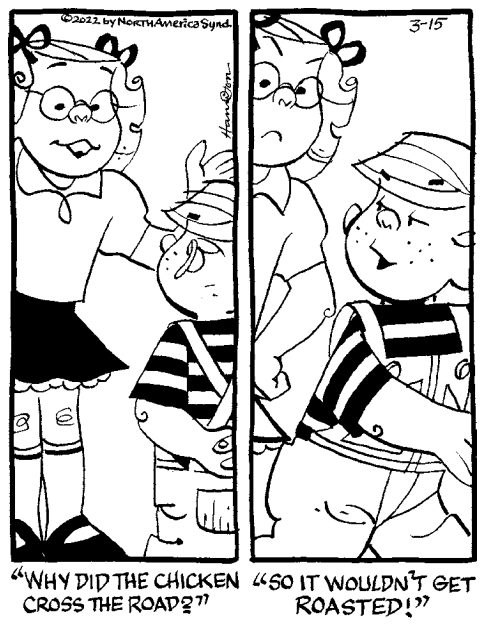

Bitter over brother's success

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie: I've read a lot of your columns, and it always seems your advice is helpful. I've been stuck in a major rut for the last two or three years. I was unhappy in my line of work for quite some time, so I made changes, including recently going into business for myself. It's still the same line of work, but now I have more flexibility and more say in how things are done. You'd think that would be a positive thing, but it presents its own issues.

The work I'm doing is not fulfilling to me. I don't feel very good about myself at day's end, and there's really no room for growth. I basically see myself in this same financial and professional situation in 10 years. I don't feel like I'm actually working toward anything. It is hard to muster the motivation each day. I don't really see college as an option at this point in my life, and I don't have the confidence to try again after I dropped out over 15 years ago.

The part that bothers me most is I'm constantly comparing myself to my younger brother. I couldn't be more proud of him, and I love him, but I'm envious. He received his bachelor's and master's degrees, and he has a job where he is going to excel financially. I don't hold that against him; he and I have a great relationship, but behind his back, I'm always comparing myself to him. I just don't stack up.

I want what he has earned and what he's got going for himself. I've been in my trade for about 10 years and have stalled in my earnings. When my brother graduated from school, he immediately earned more in a year than I could ever hope to earn annually.

I feel like I'm just here spinning my tires and getting nowhere while he's got the whole world in his hand. I know it's my way of thinking, and I try to tell myself that, but each and every day I spend getting nowhere I feel like more of a failure. Any advice on the situation would be of great help and much appreciated. — Other Brother

Dear Brother: Thank you for your support and kind words. Comparison is the thief of joy, and right now you are robbing yourself of any joy that you could be feeling in your own accomplishments. When comparing yourself to your brother, it can doubly rob you of joy because you love him and are feeling conflicted.

The most important thing you can do for yourself is to sit down and write out your goals. What exactly would you like to accomplish in life? There are many people who have gone back to college. If you think it would bring you more joy, then do it. It is never too late.

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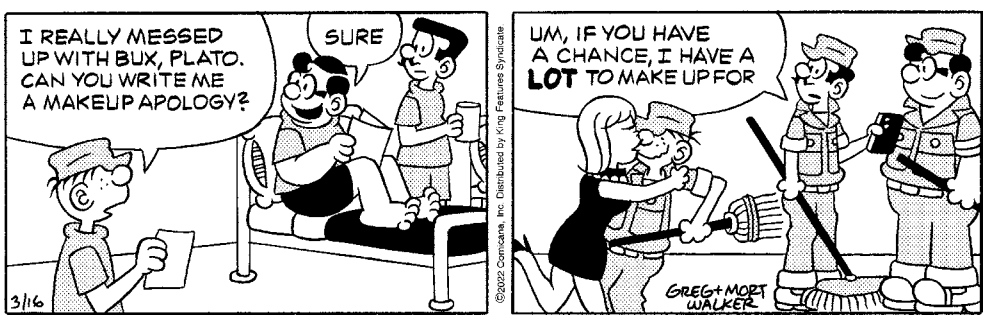
I REALLY MESSED UP WITH BUX, PLATO. CAN YOU WRITE ME A MAKEUP APOLOGY?
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UM, IF YOU HAVE A CHANCE, I HAVE A LOT TO MAKE UP FOR
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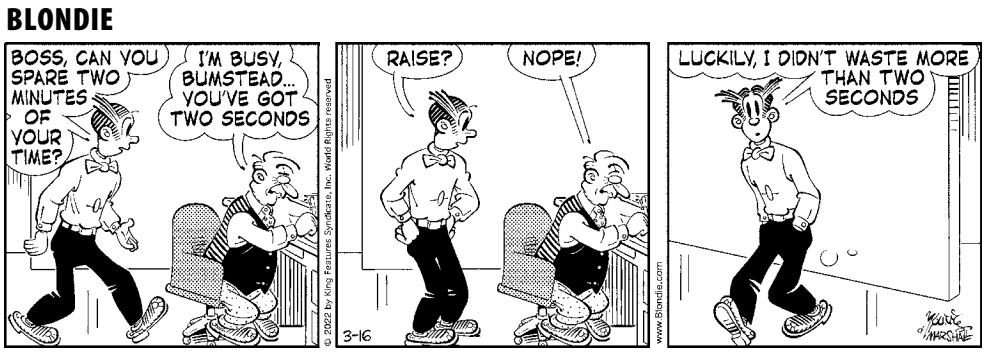
BOSS, CAN YOU SPARE TWO MINUTES OF YOUR TIME?
I'M BUSY, BUMSTEAD... YOU'VE GOT TWO SECONDS
RAISE?
NOPE!
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LUCKILY, I DIDN'T WASTE MORE THAN TWO SECONDS
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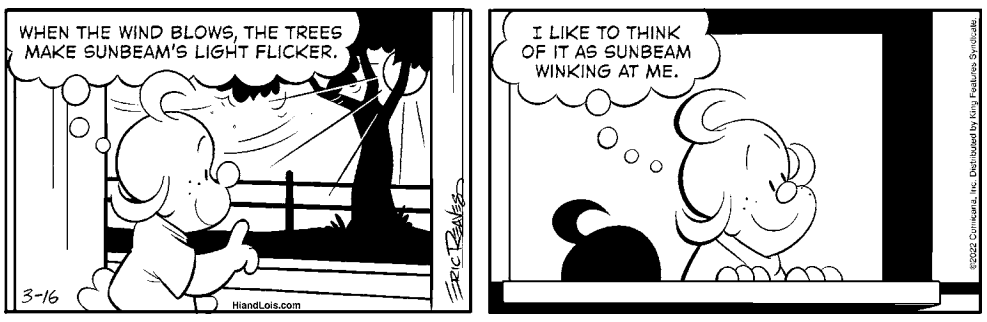
WHEN THE WIND BLOWS, THE TREES MAKE SUNBEAM'S LIGHT FLICKER.
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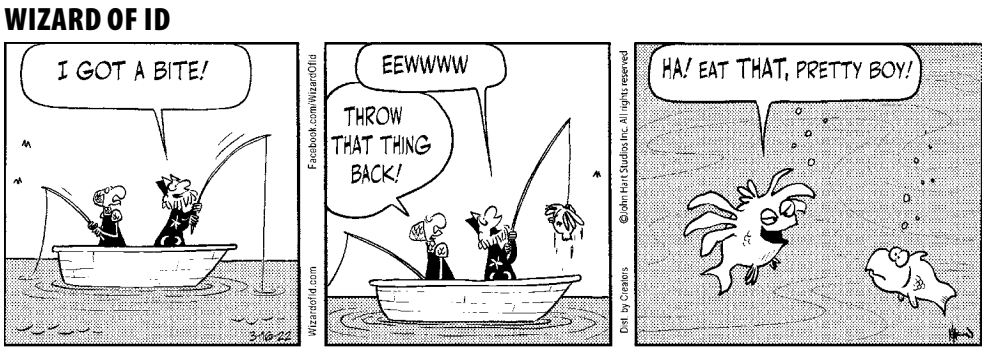

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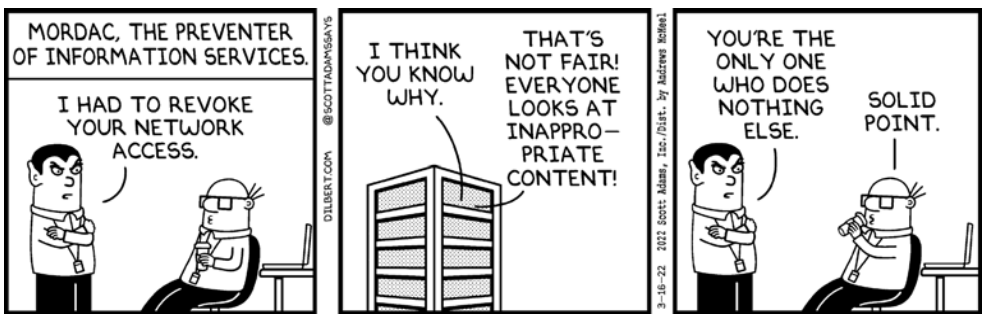
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YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO DOES NOTHING ELSE.
SOLID POINT.

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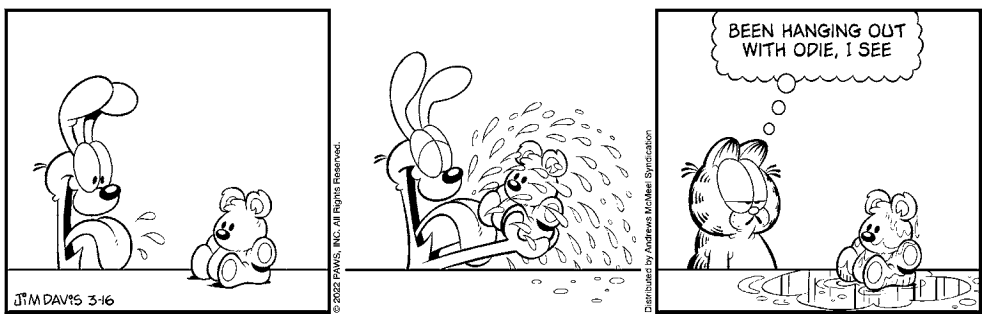
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BEEN HANGING OUT WITH ODIE, I SEE
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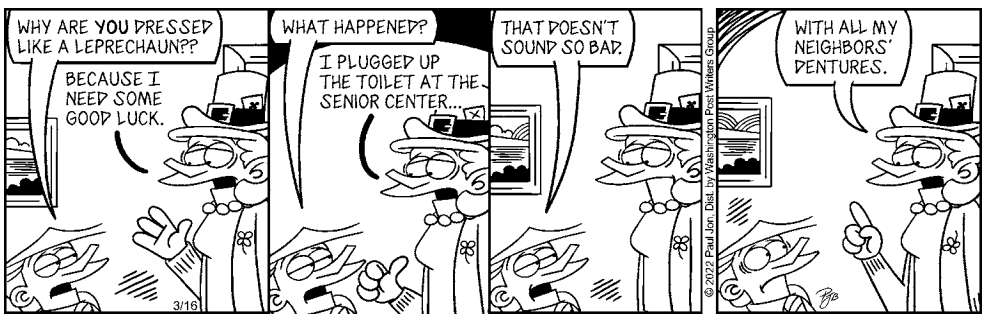
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BECAUSE I NEED SOME GOOD LUCK.
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WHAT HAPPENED?
I PLUGGED UP THE TOILET AT THE SENIOR CENTER...
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WITH ALL MY NEIGHBORS' DENTURES.

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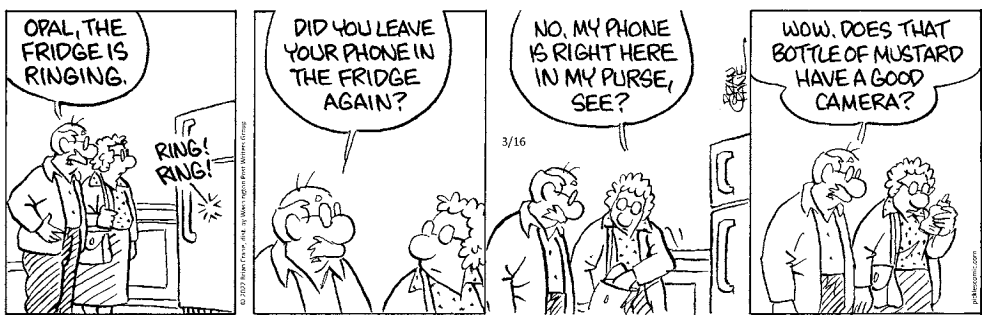
OPAL, THE FRIDGE IS RINGING.
RING! RING!
DID YOU LEAVE YOUR PHONE IN THE FRIDGE AGAIN?
NO. MY PHONE IS RIGHT HERE IN MY PURSE, SEE?
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WOW. DOES THAT BOTTLE OF MUSTARD HAVE A GOOD CAMERA?

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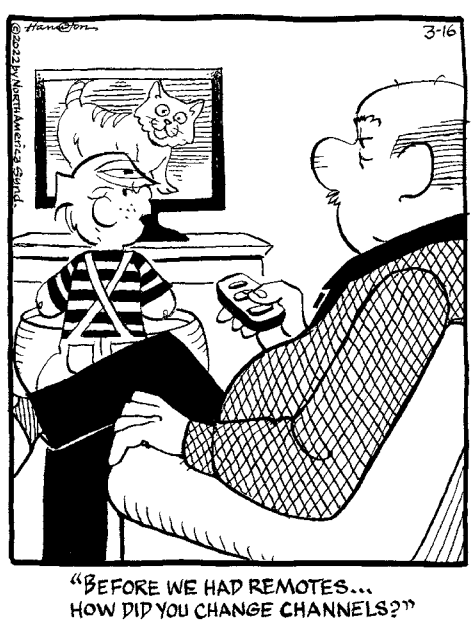

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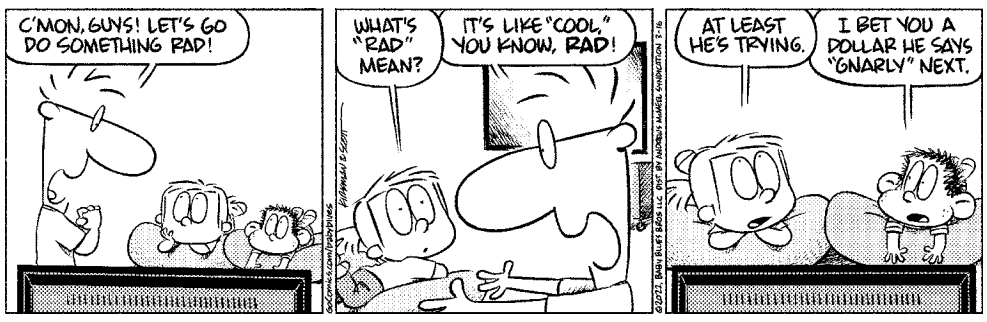
C'MON, GUYS! LET'S GO DO SOMETHING RAD!
WHAT'S "RAD" MEAN?
IT'S LIKE "COOL," YOU KNOW, RAD!
AT LEAST HE'S TRYING.
I BET YOU A DOLLAR HE SAYS "GNARLY" NEXT.
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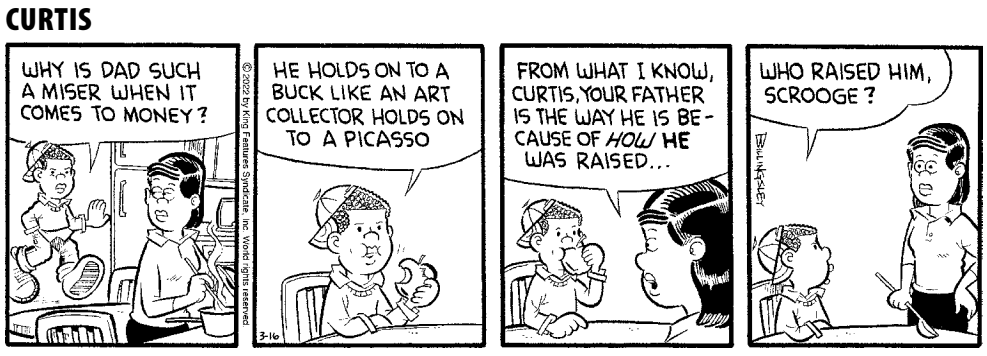
WHY IS DAD SUCH A MISER WHEN IT COMES TO MONEY?
HE HOLDS ON TO A BUCK LIKE AN ART COLLECTOR HOLDS ON TO A PICASSO
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FROM WHAT I KNOW, CURTIS, YOUR FATHER IS THE WAY HE IS BE-CAUSE OF HOW HE WAS RAISED...
WHO RAISED HIM, SCROOGE?

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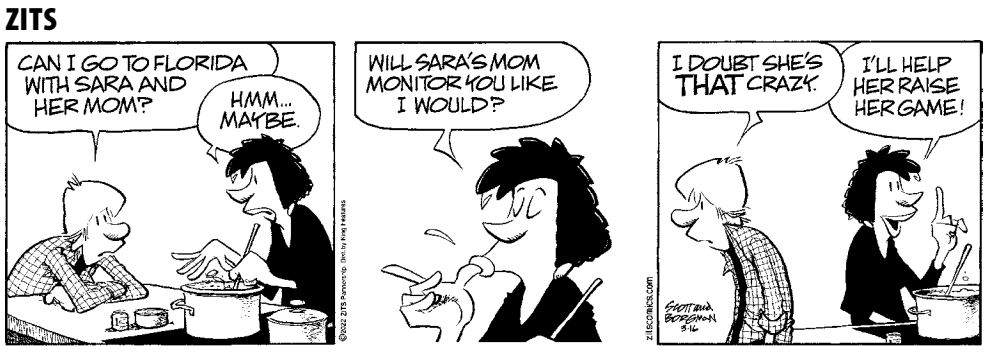
CAN I GO TO FLORIDA WITH SARA AND HER MOM?
HMM... MAYBE.
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I DOUBT SHE'S THAT CRAZY.
I'LL HELP HER RAISE HER GAME!
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Luck of the Irish

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

In light of St Patrick's Day tomorrow, I wanted to share some famous fun quotes and blessings.

"Luck is believing you're lucky." — Tennessee Williams, "A Streetcar Named Desire."

"An Irishman's heart is nothing but his imagination." — George Bernard Shaw.

"I am a great believer in luck, and I find the harder I work, the more I have of it." — Thomas Jefferson.

"I am of Ireland, / And the Holy Land of Ireland, / And time runs on' cried she. / 'Come out of charity / And dance with me in Ireland,'" — William Butler Yeats, "I Am of Ireland."

"May your pockets be heavy and your heart be light. May good luck pursue you each morning and night." — Irish blessing.

"A good friend is like a four-leaf clover, hard to find and lucky to have." — Irish proverb.

"May love and laughter light your days, / and warm your heart and home. / May good and faithful friends be yours, / wherever you may roam. / May peace and plenty bless your world / with joy that long endures. / May all life's passing seasons / bring the best to you and yours!" — Irish blessing.

"May the road rise to meet you, / May the wind be always at your back. / May the sun shine warm upon your face, / The rains fall soft upon your fields. / And until we meet again, / May God hold you in the palm of his hand. / May God be with you and bless you; / May you see your children's children. / May you be poor in misfortune, / Rich in blessings, / May you know nothing but happiness / From this day forward. / May the road rise to meet you / May the wind be always at your back / May the warm rays of sun fall upon your home / And may the hand of a friend always be near. / May green be the grass you walk on, / May blue be the skies above you, / May pure be the joys that surround you, / May true be the hearts that love you." — Irish blessing.

"May the blessing of light be on you — / light without and light within. / May the blessed sunlight shine on you / and warm your heart / till it glows like a great peat fire. / May your home be filled with laughter / May your pockets be filled with gold / And may you have all the happiness / Your Irish heart can hold. / May your blessings outnumber / The Shamrocks that grow / And may trouble avoid you / Wherever you go. / May luck be a friend to ye, / And be with ye in all yer days, / And may trouble be to ye, / A stranger, always / May the lilt of Irish laughter lighten every load, may the mist of Irish magic shorten every road, may you taste the sweetest pleasures that fortune ere bestowed, and may all your friends remember all the favors you are owed." — Good-luck blessing.

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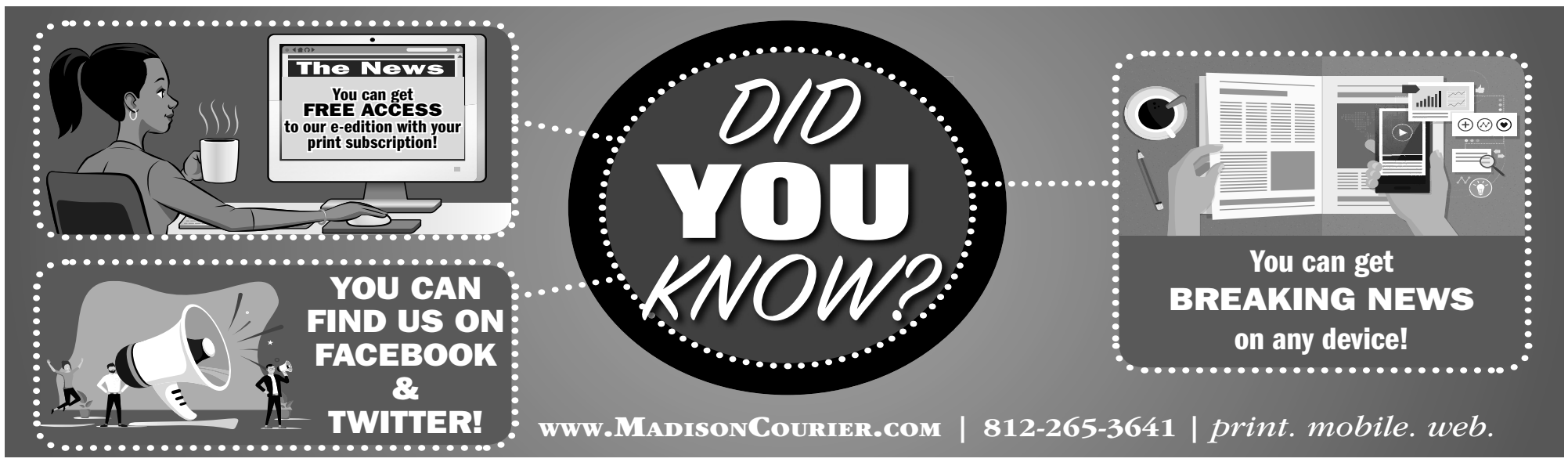
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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100 East Second Street, Madison

Tuesdays — 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Fridays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison. Please arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to be served.

Salvation Army Food Bank

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

Noon to 1 p.m.

331 East Main St, Madison

A food giveaway at the red door on east side of building. Bring your own bags. For more information, call 812-265-2157.

Jesus Clothes Closet

Trinity Methodist Church, Madison

Mondays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Jesus Clothes Closet at Trinity Methodist Church, 412 W. Main St., will distribute clothing for those in need on Mondays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. For more information call 812-866-4843.

RED CROSS

For a limited time, the American Red Cross has resumed testing all blood, platelet and plasma donations for COVID-19 antibodies. Plasma from routine donations that have high levels of COVID-19 antibodies may be used as convalescent plasma to help meet the needs of COVID-19 patients with weakened immune systems.

Red Cross blood supply remains vulnerable, and individuals are urged to schedule a blood or platelet donation. In the days and weeks ahead, it's critically important the Red Cross maintains a readily available blood supply so hospital patients can receive the care they need. To make an appointment, use the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit RedCrossBlood.org or call 1-800-733-2767.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Madison Park Department has resumed its weekly senior dances at the Brown Memorial Gymnasium with full slate of bands scheduled every Friday from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. through the end of April. Upcoming bands include: Smokin' Cinders on March 18, Last Minute Band on March 25, No Name Band on April 1, Smokin' Cinders on April 8, Last Minute Band on April 15, Paul Boggs Band on April 22, and Old Goats and a Nanny on April 29.

The dances are open to all senior citizens and admission is $6 per person.

Air Methods Open House

Madison Municipal Airport

Saturday, March 19

The Air Methods medical helicopter services at Madison Municipal Airport will hold an open house and ribbon cutting from 3-5 p.m. on Saturday, March 19 at the airport. Visitors can tour the base, see the helicopter up close, meet the pilots and clinicians and see the medical equipment use to provide lifesaving services. There will be food and drink and a bounce house. Visitors should use the FBO parking lot

SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Lenten Worship on Wednesdays

By Greater Madison Ministerial Association

All services begin at Noon (No lunches this year).

March 16 — St. John's United Church of Christ

406 East Street, Madison,

Pastor Frank McGee, guest speaker

March 23 — Hanover United Methodist Church

220 E. Lagrange Rd. Hanover

Speaker to be announced

March 30 — First Baptist Church

416 Vine Street, Madison

Speaker to be announced.

April 6 — Trinity United Methodist Church

412 W. Main Street, Madison

Speaker to be announced.

April 13 — Madison Presbyterian Church

202 Broadway Street, Madison

Rev. Bill Johnson, guest speaker

JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Take & Make Crafts — March 22

at Madison and Hanover branches

The Library is offering free crafts for children, teens and adults. Deadline to register is Monday at noon before each craft/ Sign up at mjcpl.org/events.

Story Line

The Madison/Jefferson County Library's children's story line is available by calling 812-818-1800. The line is a fun and exciting way for young listeners to hear a new story each week.

CLIFTY FALLS STATE PARK

Friday, March 18

Timberdoodles Sky Dance — 8 p.m.

Meet at the outdoor pool for a 30-minute program to watch for the courtship display of the American Woodcock. Their display, known as the sky dance, is best viewed at dawn and dusk.

Saturday, March 19

Cabin Fever Weekend Waterfall Hike — 10 a.m.

Meet at Clifty Shelter for a one-hour moderately rugged hike through one of the most scenic sections of Clifty Canyon. There's a chance to see five waterfalls along the way Note: The restroom at Clifty Shelter will be closed, so plan ahead.

Butterfly Craft — 2 p.m.

Come to the Nature Center to make a colorful butterfly to take home.

Live Birds of Prey — 7 p.m.

Gather in the Hoffman Room at Clifty Inn to meet some live birds of prey from Hardy Lake. A $2 per person fee will be charged for the one-hour program with proceeds to benefit the Dwight Chamberlain Raptor Rehabilitation Center at Hardy Lake.

Sunday, March 20

Fabulous Frogs — 10 a.m.

Celebrate World Frog Day at the Nature Center! Meet the resident frog and toad and discover their similarities and differences. Then join the naturalist on an easy hike to search for some more frogs in the park during a one-hour program. The hike portion will be weather dependent.

Sights and Sounds of Spring Hike — 3 p.m.

Spring has arrived so join a hike to explore the changes in nature from winter to spring. We'll look for wildflowers, listen for birds, and more Meet at Clifty Shelter for the one-hour moderately rugged hike.

Monday, March 21

Buzzin' Bees — 10 a.m.

Come to the Nature Center and make a fun craft that buzzes just like a bee! 30-minute program.

Nature Center Hours

Sunday & Monday — 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Tuesday & Wednesday — Closed

Thursday-Saturday — 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Gliadkovsky to perform at Madison Presbyterian

BY THE COURIER STAFF

KIRILL GLIADKOVSKY

Concert pianist Kirill Gliadkovsky will make a return engagement to Madison as part of the Madison Performing Arts Foundation performances this season.

Gliadkovsky, who previously performed in Madison in 2016 and 2018, will be performing at Madison Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 20.

Gliadkovsky has studied music since the age of five and made his first public appearance at age six. He has toured extensively on three continents, performing piano and organ recitals. He has performed in concert series, competitions and festivals in the US and abroad. Additionally, he has been a featured artist on numerous live TV and radio broadcasts and recorded six CDs.

Gliadkovsky combines his busy concert schedule with teaching at Saddleback College in Mission Viejo, California, as a professor of piano and director of keyboard studies.

Sunday's concert will include selections from J.S. Bach, Muzio Clementi, Nikolai Medtner, Robert Schumann and George Gershwin. The concert is free but donations are appreciated.

BILL

FROM PAGE A1

Potential penalties are included for not abiding by the bill. Governmental entities would face up to $1,000 in fines per day, and funding for public universities could be put in jeopardy for noncompliance.

Meanwhile, while cases of COVID-19 continue to decline in Indiana and Kentucky — and throughout the United States — the Associated Press reported China is having its worst COVID-19 outbreak in two years due to the fast-spreading stealth omicron variant.

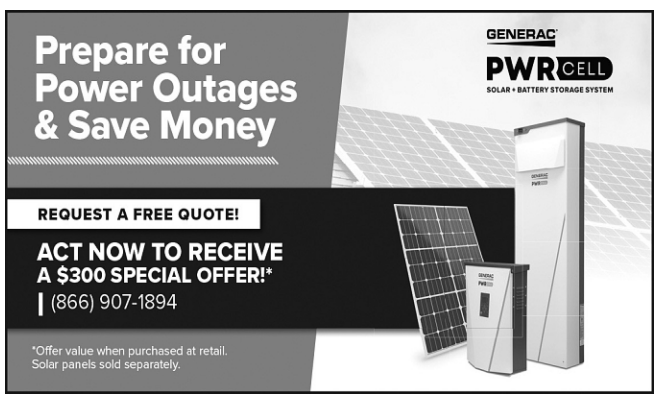
On Monday, the National Health Commission in China reported 1,337 locally transmitted cases in the latest 24-hour period including 895 in the industrial province of Jilin, where most people were banned from leaving the area or traveling from one city to another.

While mainland China's numbers are small compared to many other countries, and even the semi-autonomous city of Hong Kong, they are the highest since COVID-19 killed thousands in the central city of Wuhan in early 2020. No deaths have been reported in the latest outbreaks.

Hong Kong on Monday reported 26,908 new cases and 249 deaths in its latest 24-hour period. The city counts its cases differently than the mainland, combining both rapid antigen tests and PCR test results.

On Monday, France lifted most of its COVID-19 restrictions, abolishing the need to wear face masks in most settings and allowing people who aren't vaccinated back into restaurants, sports arenas and other venues.

With the move announced earlier in the month by the French government based on assessments of improving situation in hospitals and a steady decline in infections. However, in recent days, the number of infections has started increasing again, raising concerns from some scientists it may be too soon to lift restrictions. The number of new infections have reach more than 60,000 based on a seven-day average, up from about 50,000 a week before.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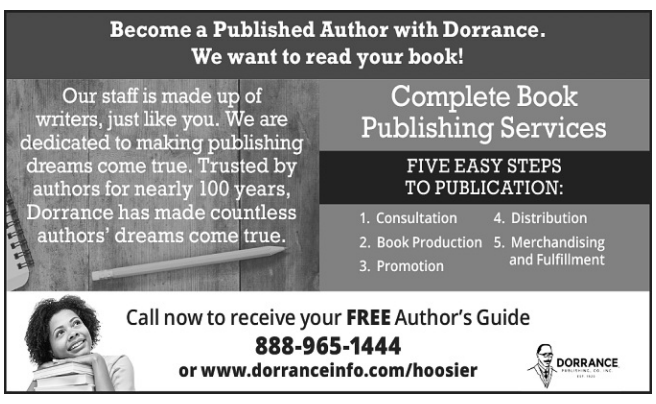
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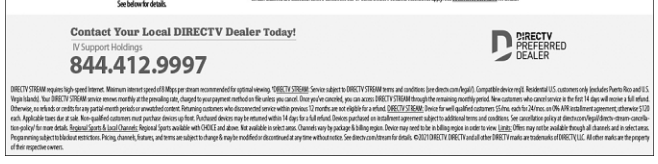
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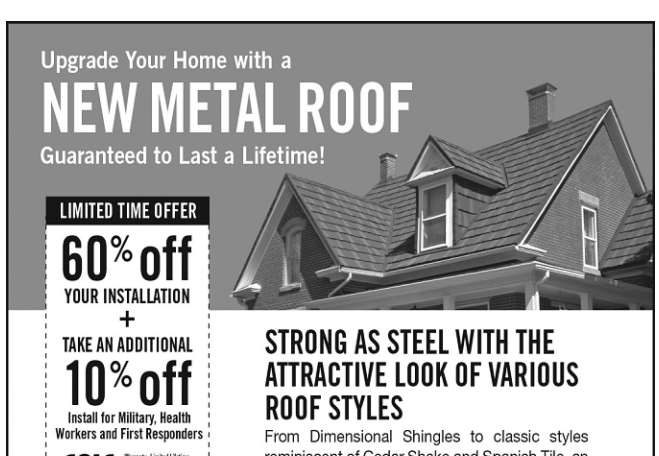
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MADISON COURIER BOYS SWIMMER OF THE YEAR

Sectional title caps Armstrong's stellar career

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Adrian Armstrong didn't need a sectional championship to cement his status as the greatest swimmer in Switzerland County High School history, but after years of chasing the elusive goal, it certainly felt nice to finally win.

Armstrong capped off his stellar high school career with a sectional championship in the 100-yard butterfly, becoming the first Switzerland County Pacer to reach the state finals in swimming. Along with owning the school record in literally every event, it made Armstrong the gold standard for every Pacer swimmer who follows him into the pool.

"When Adrian showed up as a freshman I told him, 'Adrian, you have the ability and the capability to remove my son's name 100% from that board, and my son will be your biggest fan,' " Switzerland County coach Eric Cole said. "Nobody has worked harder than Adrian and we couldn't be more proud of him."

With his accolades and accomplishments, Armstrong was the easy choice to be this year's Madison Courier Boys Swimmer of the Year. No other area swimmer has had the kind of career he has had, or is more respected by his peers.

Nina Campbell

Switzerland County senior Adrian Armstrong is the Madison Courier Boys Swimmer of the Year.

Armstrong began winning races and setting records from the moment he dived into the pool as a freshman. One by one, he took down every record on the board and when it came to Ohio River Valley Conference competition, he was second to none.

But one accomplishment continued to elude him, a sectional title. Each year he would show up at Highland Hills Middle School with high hopes, only to fall short. Now, in his senior season, he knew he had one final chance to make history.

"I've always asked Eric if it was possible for me to go to state and then this year we finally made it. I finally made it," Armstrong said. "I think I just realized that this is my senior year. It's my last year to prove if I can do it or not."

It wasn't going to be easy. Despite being seeded No. 1 in the event, Armstrong knew that he had fast swimmers on each side, especially Seymour sophomore Pedro Cerino Rico and Madison's Liam Roney. Armstrong kept his eye on Cerino Rico, knowing that he was the swimmer to beat.

"I didn't really have a strategy. I just kind of got in there and swam it, just wanting to make sure to leave it all in the pool. All or nothing," Armstrong said. "Pedro was right next to me when I did that last flip turn. I was like, 'I still got more left.' So I gave it everything I had and I guess he just didn't have any left. I felt bad for taking it from him. Sort of."

"Sometimes as a freshman and sophomore, we might have questioned his drive a little bit, but we never questioned the ability or the talent," Cole said. "This year, he had the drive."

Armstrong's win sent him to the state finals in Indianapolis, which was an eye-opening experience. Although he finished 21st at 51.65 — just over half a second from reaching the finals — he was happy to just be there.

"It was a very different experience than what I was used to. There's a lot more people, but it was a good atmosphere," Armstrong said. "It was just a nice place to be and honestly, it was nice to finally reach that goal."

"We went to three coaches this year with Sam Taylor and Regina Miles helping us and Gina came in having been a state qualifier at East Central and I'm sure that also helped push Adrian to the next level," Cole said. "I think that it also played a huge role in the preparation going into sectional as well as then getting him ready for the state finals."

With his his high school career over, Armstrong has set his sights on swimming in college. He has had talks with Franklin College and is leaning in that direction and is hoping to major in business. Regardless of what he does, Cole hopes he makes it back to Vevay to help tutor a new generation of Pacer swimmers.

"The younger kids look up to him and he's been coming and helping us with the middle school team. He's always been a part of our Sharks team, all the way through and helping develop that next generation of swimmers," Cole said. "I hope someday that he comes back after he goes off to college and help instill a quality hard work ethic that got him to where he is today."

Submitted Photo

Christian Academy's Micah Jackinowski (30) drives with the ball during the Defenders' win over GCAA in the NACA National Tournament last week in Dayton, Tennessee.

CAM closes out season at NACA Tournament in Tennessee

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Christian Academy of Madison wrapped up its boys basketball season with three games at the National Association of Christian Athletes Tournament in Dayton, Tennessee, last week.

The Defenders opened the tournament with a close 58-56 loss to Capital City (Virginia). Clay Carter had 22 points to lead CAM while Jaxon Miller had 19 points and nine rebounds.

Christian Academy regrouped to knock off GCAA (North Carolina) 62-48 in the second game. Carter had 20 points and six rebounds, Micah Jackinowski had 16 points and Miller scored 10.

CAM closed out the tournament with a 71-60 loss to New Bern (Tennessee). Carter scored 28 points and Miller had 20.

In addition to the games, Carter also defeated 60 other shooters to win the 3-point shooting contest. He was also named to the all-tournament team after averaging 23 points, five rebounds, five steals and four assists per game. He closes out his high school career with 2,100 points.

Christian Academy finishes the season with a 17-13 record.

WOMEN'S NCAA TOURNAMENT

South Carolina earn overall No. 1 seed

BY DOUG FEINBERG
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

Dawn Staley and South Carolina are once again a No. 1 seed in the women's basketball NCAA Tournament — a familiar role for the Gamecocks.

South Carolina earned the the top overall seed in this year's tournament field, which was announced Sunday night. The Gamecocks have been No. 1 in a region six times since 2014.

The women's tournament itself also is getting back to a familiar setting.

For the first time since 2019, the tournament will feature games on campus sites with fans in the stands.

"I just think the semblance of normalcy, I hope brings back some good feelings and the excitement and the hoopla that is part of this event, which is what makes it so great, is the fans," UConn coach Geno Auriemma said. "I think having them back is going to make all the difference in the world."

Auriemma's Huskies are a No. 2 seed in this year's competitive field.

North Carolina State, Stanford and Louisville are the other No. 1 seeds.

Staley isn't buying the argument that as the top seed her Gamecocks will have an easy road to winning their second national championship.

"They said that the No. 1 overall seed has an easier path to the Final Four. I don't see that," Staley said. "But I do believe we're going to play our best basketball from here on out."

Potentially awaiting Aliyah Boston and the Gamecocks in the regional final could be Caitlin Clark and No. 2 Iowa in a matchup of two top players in the sport.

While there will be much familiarity to the tournament, there also are some major changes — including expanding the field to 68 teams.

MEN'S NCAA TOURNAMENT

Zags, Baylor join KU, Arizona as NCAA No. 1s

BY EDDIE PELLS
AP NATIONAL WRITER

From the familiar names at the top of the bracket — Gonzaga, Kansas, Baylor — to the well-worn debates all across it — why did Coach K get shipped out West? did somebody do Dayton wrong? — this version of Selection Sunday felt as comfortable as a well-worn Air Jordan.

March Madness is back to normal, or as close to normal as it can get, and that means all those stunning upsets and once-in-a-lifetime game-winners will play out in front of crazy crowds for the first time in three years.

"This was a really special year because we all realized what we missed," said Villanova coach Jay Wright, whose second-seeded team won the Big East title in front of a packed house at Madison Square Garden.

Gonzaga is the overall top seed, with Arizona, Kansas and Baylor joining them on the "1" line for this "seems like old times" NCAA Tournament. It's the first since 2019 to be played in different cities and different time zone across America. The party lands in New Orleans for the Final Four and championship game April 2-4.

It's a return to the way things were before the pandemic scrubbed the tournament completely off the 2020 calendar, then turned the 2021 event into a one-city-fits-all affair — all the games played in a makeshift bubble in front of limited crowds in and around Indianapolis.

"It's all about staying in the moment and having more fun than anybody in the tournament," said John Calipari, the coach of second-seeded Kentucky.

The best way to have fun, of course, is winning it all. Baylor did that last year in a title-game romp over Gonzaga. Just like last year, both are No. 1 seeds again, with the Zags the 15-4 favorite to win the title, according to FanDuel Sportsbook.

Arizona was next at 6-1, followed by Kentucky (15-2) and Baylor (11-1).

"A great learning experience," Gonzaga's Drew Timme called last year's second-place finish in an interview on ESPN. "Obviously, things didn't go the way we wanted. But it allowed for a lot of self-growth for the program. We're excited for the challenge."

Some players to watch over the next three weeks include Kentucky's Oscar Tshiebwe, one of dozens who switched schools via the amped-up "transfer portal" that is displaying a penchant for reshaping college hoops at the blink of an eye.

Kofi Cockburn leads No. 4 Illinois into a first-round matchup against Chattanooga, and freshman Jabari Smith leads slumping No. 2 Auburn into the Midwest Region, where a potential matchup against conference rival LSU, which fired coach Will Wade earlier this week, is in the offing.

Coach Mike Krzyzewski's last tournament before retirement has Duke playing as a No. 2 seed in the West. His road to a 13th Final Four could include a second-round matchup against Tom Izzo and Michigan State. And while some thought the selection committee might send Coach K to his native Chicago and the Midwest for the Sweet 16 as a farewell gift, of sorts, instead it would be a trip to San Francisco and a potential meeting with Mark Few's Bulldogs.

It's one thing to face a tough bracket, quite another not to be in it at all. Dayton, Oklahoma, SMU and Texas A&M were the "first four out," meaning there's still a glimmer of hope for them if a team must make a late withdrawal due to COVID-19.

Xavier wasn't even on that list, which went down as one of the evening's biggest snubs. That was according to Dick Vitale, the national treasure who was forced to spell things out on a white board — not shout about it — while he rests his vocal cords after cancer treatments. Dickie V also thought Tennessee, as a 3, and Iowa, as a 5, got worse seeds than they deserved after winning their conference tournaments.

CALENDAR

Tuesday, March 15

BASEBALL
Hanover hosts Centre, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Hanover hosts Asbury (DH), 3 p.m.

Wednesday, March 16

LACROSSE
Hanover women vs. Dallas at Louisville, 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 17

SOFTBALL
Trimble Co. hosts South Oldham, 6 p.m.

NCAA TOURNAMENT GLANCE

All Times EDT

FIRST FOUR

Tuesday, March 15

At UD Arena
Dayton, Ohio
Texas Southern (18-12) vs. Texas A&M-CC Islanders (23-11), 6:40 p.m.
Wyoming (25-8) vs. Indiana (20-13), 9:10 p.m.

Wednesday, March 16
At UD Arena
Dayton, Ohio
Wright St. (21-13) vs. Bryant (22-9), 6:40 p.m.
Rutgers (18-13) vs. Notre Dame (22-10), 9:10 p.m.

EAST REGIONAL
First Round
Thursday, March 17
At Dickies Arena
Fort Worth, Texas
Baylor (26-6) vs. Norfolk St. (24-6), 2 p.m.
North Carolina (24-9) vs. Marquette (19-12), 4:30 p.m.

At Moda Center
Portland, Ore.
Saint Mary's (Cal.) (25-7) vs. Wyoming-Indiana winner, 7:20 p.m.
UCLA (25-7) vs. Akron (24-9), 9:50 p.m.

At Gainbridge Fieldhouse
Indianapolis
Murray St. (30-2) vs. San Francisco (24-9), 9:40 p.m.
Kentucky (26-7) vs. St. Peter's (19-11), 7:10 p.m.

Friday, March 18

At Fiserv Forum
Milwaukee
Texas (21-11) vs. Virginia Tech (23-12), 4:30 p.m.
Purdue (27-7) vs. Yale (19-11), 2 p.m.

Second Round
Saturday, March 19

At Dickies Arena
Fort Worth, Texas
Baylor-Norfolk St. winner vs. North Carolina-Marquette winner, TBA

At Moda Center
Portland, Ore.
UCLA-Akron winner vs. Saint Mary's (Cal.)_Wyoming-Indiana winner, TBA

At Gainbridge Fieldhouse
Indianapolis
Kentucky-St. Peter's winner vs. Murray St.-San Francisco winner, TBA

Sunday, March 20

At Fiserv Forum
Milwaukee
Purdue-Yale winner vs. Texas-Virginia Tech winner, TBA

SOUTH REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Friday, March 18

At Viejas Arena at Aztec Bowl
San Diego
Arizona (31-3) vs. Wright St.-Bryant winner, 7:27 p.m.
Seton Hall (21-10) vs. TCU (20-12), 9:57 p.m.

At PPG Paints Arena
Pittsburgh
Houston (29-5) vs. UAB (27-7), 9:20 p.m.
Illinois (22-9) vs. Chattanooga (27-7), 6:50 p.m.
Ohio St. (19-11) vs. Loyola Chicago (25-7), 12:15 p.m.
Villanova (26-7) vs. Delaware (22-12), 2:45 p.m.

Thursday, March 17
At Gainbridge Fieldhouse
Indianapolis
Colorado St. (25-5) vs. Michigan (17-14), 12:15 p.m.
Tennessee (26-7) vs. Longwood (26-6), 2:45 p.m.

Second Round
Sunday, March 20
At Viejas Arena at Aztec Bowl
San Diego
Arizona_Wright St.-Bryant winner vs. Seton Hall-TCU winner, TBA

At PPG Paints Arena
Pittsburgh
Illinois-Chattanooga winner vs. Houston-UAB winner, TBA
Villanova-Delaware winner vs. Ohio St.-Loyola Chicago winner, TBA

Saturday, March 19
At Gainbridge Fieldhouse
Indianapolis
Tennessee-Longwood winner vs. Colorado St.-Michigan winner, TBA

MIDWEST REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Thursday, March 17

At Dickies Arena
Fort Worth, Texas
Kansas (28-6) vs. Texas Southern-Texas A&M-CC Islanders winner, 9:57 p.m.
San Diego St. (23-8) vs. Creighton (22-11), 7:27 p.m.

At KeyBank Center
Buffalo, N.Y.
Iowa (26-9) vs. Richmond (23-12), 3:10 p.m.
Providence (25-5) vs. S. Dakota St. (30-4), 12:40 p.m.

Friday, March 18

At Fiserv Forum
Milwaukee
LSU (22-11) vs. Iowa St. (20-12), 7:20 p.m.
Wisconsin (24-7) vs. Colgate (23-11), 9:50 p.m.

At Bon Secours Wellness Arena
Greenville, S.C.
Southern Cal (26-7) vs. Miami (23-10), 3:10 p.m.
Auburn (27-5) vs. Jacksonville St. (21-10), 12:40 p.m.

SECOND ROUND

Saturday, March 19

At Dickies Arena
Fort Worth, Texas
Kansas_Texas Southern-Texas A&M-CC Islanders winner vs. San Diego St.-Creighton winner, TBA

At KeyBank Center
Buffalo, N.Y.
Providence-S. Dakota St. winner vs. Iowa-Richmond winner, TBA

Sunday, March 20
At Fiserv Forum
Milwaukee
Wisconsin-Colgate winner vs. LSU-Iowa St. winner, TBA

At Bon Secours Wellness Arena
Greenville, S.C.
Auburn-Jacksonville St. winner vs. Southern Cal-Miami winner, TBA

WEST REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Thursday, March 17

At Moda Center
Portland, Ore.
Gonzaga (26-3) vs. Georgia St. (18-10), 4:15 p.m.
Boise St. (27-7) vs. Memphis (21-10), 1:45 p.m.

At KeyBank Center
Buffalo, N.Y.
UConn (23-9) vs. New Mexico St. (26-6), 6:50 p.m.

NCAA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT GLANCE

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FIRST FOUR

Wednesday, March 16

At Colonial Life Arena
Columbia, S.C.
Howard (20-9) vs. Incarnate Word (13-16), 7 p.m.

At James H. Hilton Coliseum
Ames, Iowa
Dayton (25-5) vs. DePaul (22-10), 9 p.m.

Thursday, March 17
At Reynolds Coliseum
Raleigh, N.C.
Longwood (21-11) vs. Mount St. Mary's (16-12), 7 p.m.

At Pete Maravich Assembly Center
Baton Rouge, La.
Missouri St. (24-7) vs. Florida St. (17-13), 9 p.m.

GREENSBORO REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Friday, March 18

At Colonial Life Arena
Columbia, S.C.
South Carolina (29-2) vs. Howard-Incarnate Word winner, 2 p.m.
Miami (20-12) vs. South Florida (24-8), 11:30 a.m.

At James H. Hilton Coliseum
Ames, Iowa
Georgia (20-9) vs. Dayton-DePaul winner, 7:30 p.m.
Iowa St. (26-6) vs. Texas-Arlington (20-7), 10 p.m.

At Carver-Hawkeye Arena
Iowa City, Iowa
Colorado (22-8) vs. Creighton (20-9), 1:30 p.m.
Iowa (23-7) vs. Illinois St. (19-13), 4 p.m.

Saturday, March 19

At McKale Center
Tuscon, Ariz.
North Carolina (23-6) vs. Stephen F. Austin (28-4), 7 p.m.
Arizona (20-7) vs. UNLV (26-6), 10 p.m.

SECOND ROUND

Sunday, March 20

At Colonial Life Arena
Columbia, S.C.
South Carolina_Howard-Incarnate Word winner vs. Miami-South Florida winner, TBA

At James H. Hilton Coliseum
Ames, Iowa
Iowa St.-Texas-Arlington winner vs. Georgia_Dayton-DePaul winner, TBA

At Carver-Hawkeye Arena
Iowa City, Iowa
Iowa-Illinois St. winner vs. Colorado-Creighton winner, TBA

Monday, March 21

At McKale Center
Tuscon, Ariz.
Arizona-UNLV winner vs. North Carolina-Stephen F. Austin winner, TBA

WICHITA REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Friday, March 18

At KFC Yum! Center
Louisville, Ky.
Louisville (25-4) vs. Albany (NY) (23-9), 6 p.m.
Nebraska (24-8) vs. Gonzaga (26-6), 3:30 p.m.

At Ferrell Center
Waco, Texas
Mississippi (23-8) vs. South Dakota (27-5), 1:30 p.m.
Baylor (27-6) vs. Hawaii (20-9), 4 p.m.

Saturday, March 19

At Thompson-Boling Arena
Knoxville, Tenn.
Oregon (20-11) vs. Belmont (22-7), 5:30 p.m.
Tennessee (23-8) vs. Buffalo (25-8), 3 p.m.

At Crisler Center
Ann Arbor, Mich.
BYU (26-3) vs. Villanova (23-8), 1 p.m.
Michigan (22-6) vs. American (23-8), 3:30 p.m.

Second Round
Sunday, March 20

At KFC Yum! Center
Louisville, Ky.
Louisville-Albany (NY) winner vs. Nebraska-Gonzaga winner, TBA

At Ferrell Center
Waco, Texas
Baylor-Hawaii winner vs. Mississippi-South Dakota winner, TBA

Monday, March 21

At Thompson-Boling Arena
Knoxville, Tenn.
Tennessee-Buffalo winner vs. Oregon-Belmont winner, TBA

At Crisler Center
Ann Arbor, Mich.
Michigan-American winner vs. BYU-Villanova winner, TBA

SPOKANE REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Friday, March 18

At Maples Pavilion
Stanford, Calif.
Stanford (28-3) vs. Montana St. (22-12), 10 p.m.
Kansas (20-9) vs. Georgia Tech (21-10), 7:30 p.m.

At Xfinity Center
College Park, Md.
Virginia Tech (23-9) vs. Florida Gulf Coast (29-2), 2:30 p.m.
Maryland (21-8) vs. Delaware (24-7), 5 p.m.

At Frank C. Erwin Jr. Center
Austin, Texas
Utah (20-11) vs. Arkansas (18-13), 5:30 p.m.
Texas (26-6) vs. Fairfield (25-6), 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 19
At Pete Maravich Assembly Center
Baton Rouge, La.
Ohio St. (23-6) vs. Missouri St.-Florida St. winner, 2:30 p.m.
LSU (25-5) vs. Jackson St. (23-6), 5 p.m.

SECOND ROUND

Sunday, March 20

At Maples Pavilion
Stanford, Calif.
Stanford-Montana St. winner vs. Kansas-Georgia Tech winner, TBA

At Xfinity Center
College Park, Md.
Maryland-Delaware winner vs. Virginia Tech-Florida Gulf Coast winner, TBA

At Frank C. Erwin Jr. Center
Austin, Texas
Texas-Fairfield winner vs. Utah-Arkansas winner, TBA

Monday, March 21
At Pete Maravich Assembly Center
Baton Rouge, La.
LSU-Jackson St. winner vs. Ohio St._Missouri St.-Florida St. winner, TBA

BRIDGEPORT REGIONAL

FIRST ROUND

Saturday, March 19

At Reynolds Coliseum
Raleigh, N.C.
NC State (29-3) vs. Longwood-Mount St. Mary's winner, 2 p.m.
Washington St. (19-10) vs. Kansas St. (19-12), 11:30 a.m.

At Lloyd Noble Center
Norman, Okla.
Notre Dame (22-8) vs. UMass (26-6), 7:30 p.m.
Oklahoma (24-8) vs. IUPUI (24-4), 10 p.m.

At Assembly Hall
Bloomington, Ind.
Kentucky (19-11) vs. Princeton (24-4), 4 p.m.
Indiana (22-8) vs. Charlotte (22-9), 1:30 p.m.

At XL Center
Hartford, Conn.
UCF (25-3) vs. Florida (21-10), 3:30 p.m.
UConn (25-5) vs. Mercer (23-6), 1 p.m.

SECOND ROUND

Monday, March 21

At Reynolds Coliseum
Raleigh, N.C.
NC State_Longwood-Mount St. Mary's winner vs. Washington St.-Kansas St. winner, TBA

At Lloyd Noble Center
Norman, Okla.
Oklahoma-IUPUI winner vs. Notre Dame-UMass winner, TBA

At Assembly Hall
Bloomington, Ind.
Indiana-Charlotte winner vs. Kentucky-Princeton winner, TBA

At XL Center
Hartford, Conn.
UConn-Mercer winner vs. UCF-Florida winner, TBA

A bigger bracket? NCAA transformation could lead to changes

BY RALPH D. RUSSO
AP COLLEGE SPORTS WRITER

College sports leaders are working to transform the top tier of NCAA athletics, from how Division I should be governed to what should be required of schools to compete at the highest level.

Changing the NCAA could lead to changes in its crown jewel event — the Division I men's college basketball tournament, the lucrative three-week, 68-team joyride that has become an American sports institution.

What's that mean?

How about an expanded bracket? Or more play-in games — just don't call them play-in games — and fewer opportunities for the small schools to upset the traditional powers?

"Well, it used to be a 32-team tournament, and it was a 48-team tournament, and it was 64. And then it was 65. And now it's 68," Atlantic Sun Commissioner Ted Gumbart said. "So I don't think there's any magic number to say, hey, you can't be 72 or 80. I think it's healthy."

How does an NCAA Tournament with all 351 D-I schools sound?

"You could have an all-comers tournament with just one more weekend," Big 12 Commissioner Bob Bowlsby said. "I think it's an idea that might have the nuggets of compromise that could be satisfactory."

The men's field of 68 for March Madness was set Sunday night. The games begin with a First Four appetizer on Tuesday and Wednesday before the basketball bonanza commences Thursday across the country.

Gonzaga lands at No. 1; top seeds are 1-4 in final AP poll

BY DAVE SKRETTA
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

Gonzaga will head into the NCAA Tournament exactly where it ended up in the final AP Top 25: right on top.

In fact, that's where the Bulldogs began the season, too.

It wasn't all smooth sailing for coach Mark Few's team, which dropped as low as fifth after a couple of early losses. But the Bulldogs wound up with 54 of the 61 first-place votes from a national media panel Monday after romping through the West Coast Conference Tournament to land at No. 1 in the final AP Top 25 for the second straight year.

Now, it's a matter of finishing things off. The Bulldogs, who earned the overall No. 1 seed in the NCAA Tournament for the second consecutive year, lost to Baylor in last year's national championship game.

"It's an amazing accomplishment," Few said. "It's a reward for being good for four months, 4 1/2 months, and this (NCAA) tournament is a reward for being good for three weeks. So I think it's an amazing accomplishment by this group and last year's group, and these No. 1 seeds we've been able to earn is also simply another amazing accomplishment."

South Carolina atop women's AP Top 25 from start to finish

BY DOUG FEINBERG
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

South Carolina finished the season where it started: at No. 1 in The Associated Press women's college basketball poll.

The Gamecocks were the top choice all season long and became the first team since UConn in the 2017-18 season to be No. 1 from start to finish. It's the second time in the past three seasons that South Carolina ended the season atop the poll. (UConn finished at No. 1 last season.)

South Carolina, which is the top overall seed in the NCAA Tournament that begins this week, received 20 first-place votes from the 30-member national media panel Monday.

Coach Dawn Staley's team went 11-0 against other AP Top 25 teams and even survived two losses to remain No. 1 in the poll during the season.

"I'm really proud of our team for how they've handled the season getting everyone's best shot," Staley said. "I'm happy to see that the schedule we played was recognized throughout the season, and the team could reap the rewards of that full body of work."

Stanford was second in the poll, receiving nine first-place votes, with North Carolina State, Louisville and UConn rounded out the top five. It's the 16th consecutive season that the Huskies have finished in the top five in the final poll.

Texas moved up a spot to sixth after winning the Big 12 Tournament, beating then-No. 4 Baylor in the final. The Bears dropped to seventh. Iowa, LSU and Iowa State rounded out the top 10. It's the Cyclones' best ranking in the final poll since they were eighth in 2001.

BYU fell five spots to 20th after losing to Gonzaga in the West Coast Conference Tournament championship game.

TAR HEEL STATE

North Carolina finished the season at No. 17. It's the first time that the Tar Heels were ranked in the final ballot since 2015 when they were 15th.

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Baylor is No. 1 seed in East as it opens title defense

BY DAN GELSTON
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Baylor shook off an early loss in last season's Big 12 Tournament to race to a national championship.

The Bears can only hope they can do it again.

Baylor's repeat bid for a national title starts in the East Region against Norfolk State. The Bears are the top seed in the East and open the tournament Thursday close to home in Fort Worth, Texas.

The Bears (26-6) are a No. 1 seed for the second straight season and only the second time in program history. Their potential path out of the region — which plays Sweet 16 and Elite Eight games in Philadelphia — includes No. 8 North Carolina, No. 4 UCLA and No. 2 Kentucky.

Baylor, which still has never won a Big 12 Tournament men's title, won six straight games last season and beat Gonzaga in Indianapolis to win the school's first national championship.

Baylor won five straight games before it was upset by Oklahoma in the Big 12 tourney quarterfinals.

"Any time you lose, it's a chance to hit the reset button. It refocuses everyone," coach Scott Drew said. "From that, the players are going to practice harder, the coaches are going to be more dialed in. I think we'll be ready to put our best foot forward come tournament time. ... It did give us a chance to rest, it did give us a chance to reset and refocus. Hopefully, that pays off for us."

TOUGH CLIMB

Norfolk State won the MEAC regular-season and tournament championships and is making its second straight trip to the NCAA Tournament. NSU, which beat Coppin State in the MEAC Tournament final, defeated Appalachian State in the First Four last season before losing to Gonzaga in the first round. The win was NSU's first in the NCAA Tournament since it beat Missouri in 2012.

BLUE BLOOD BATTLES

Second-seeded Kentucky is back in the tournament for the first time since 2019.

The Wildcats were 9-16 last season but coach John Calipari got a quick turnaround going and they put the smack down this season on tournament teams Tennessee (28-point win), Kansas (18 points) and North Carolina (29 points).

The Wildcats play No. 15 seed St. Peter's in the first round.

North Carolina is in the bracket as the eighth seed and plays Marquette. The Tar Heels won 12 of their final 15 games, with the biggest a win over Duke in coach Mike Krzyzewski's final home game at Cameron Indoor Stadium. UNC lost in the first round last season.

PURDUE POWER

Purdue failed to win the Big Ten title on Sunday but the Boilermakers earned a stout No. 3 seed in the East. The Boilermakers play Yale and here's one reason to think Purdue could be a contender: It's back to playing nonconference teams. All seven of Purdue's losses came in conference play. Purdue earned it's first No. 1 ranking in The AP Top 25 poll in December.

Jaden Ivey is a likely lottery pick and Matt Painter is regarded as one of the best coaches in the country. But Purdue was upset last season as the No. 4 seed and the Boilermakers have never made a Final Four under Painter.

Purdue lost to Iowa in the Big Ten Tournament final. Purdue hasn't won the league tourney since 2009.

"You get kind of to the end and it's a little bit different, but I think really what we learn is just you've got to lay it on the line.

Arizona's Lloyd leads Wildcats' rapid rise to a No. 1 seed

BY AARON BEARD
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

Tommy Lloyd has quickly returned Arizona to national prominence after a tumultuous stretch that included NCAA charges tied to a federal corruption investigation into college basketball, the firing of its men's coach and no postseason play.

This new group of Wildcats is working to remove the stain on the program, heading into the NCAA Tournament as a No. 1 seed, topping the field in the South Region in Lloyd's first season.

"It's a great opportunity for us to go continue to make a mark," Lloyd said Sunday night. "So we're going to attack it. We're not defending anything. We're going for it. We're going to come out and play with a bunch of energy and hopefully a bunch of swag, and have some fun."

Arizona (31-3) will open play Friday in San Diego against the Wright State-Bryant winner. It's part of a quick rise for a program that was unranked in the AP Top 25 to start the season and was picked to finish no better than fourth in the Pac-12.

Lloyd, 47, helped Mark Few build a national power at Gonzaga after a long run as a Zags assistant, then took over at Arizona last April after the school had fired Sean Miller amid the fallout from the corruption case.

The school still faces multiple top-level charges in an NCAA case that is among a handful still making its way through the Independent Accountability Resolution Process (IARP), which was created out of proposals from the commission led by former U.S. Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice in 2018 to reform the sport.

Arizona imposed a postseason ban last season and last played in the NCAA Tournament in 2018. But with Lloyd providing stability and a fresh start, the Wildcats could accomplish milestones not recently seen around Tucson.

Led by sophomore Bennedict Mathurin and the frontcourt tandem of Azuolas Tubelis and Christian Koloko, the Wildcats swept the Pac-12 regular-season and tournament titles.

It's the seventh No. 1 seed for Arizona, which will try to return to the Final Four for the first time since 2001. A title run would mark the first Pac-12 team to cut down the nets since Arizona won its only other title in 1997 under late Hall of Famer Lute Olsen.

"Obviously there's a group of teams that have maybe separated themselves and physically they look the part," Lloyd said. "And I think we're in that group. But there is a lot of parity."

Some things to know about the South Region:

THE TOP CHALLENGERS

Villanova is the No. 2 seed, with coach Jay Wright pursuing a third national title in six tournaments. The Wildcats (26-7) open against 15th-seeded Delaware on Friday in Pittsburgh after winning another Big East title.

"When you go through that experience at Madison Square Garden and you're in that excitement and then you come down from that, and people are hyping you up, you've got to get yourself refocused," Wright said. "It concerns me."

There's also Tennessee, a potentially under-seeded team at No. 3 after winning the Southeastern Conference Tournament for the first time since 1979. The Volunteers have won seven straight and 12 of 13, including wins against 2-seeds Kentucky (twice) and Auburn.

FIRST-TIMERS

The bracket includes a pair of first-time tournament programs in Bryant and Longwood.

Entering the play-in game, the Bulldogs (22-9) — who won the Northeast Conference Tournament — have the nation's leading scorer in senior guard Peter Kiss, who is averaging 25.1 points and 5.8 rebounds.

The Lancers (26-6) are the 14-seed after winning the Big South Conference Tournament and will face Tennessee on Thursday in Indianapolis.

MICHIGAN IN

Michigan (17-14) snuck in as an 11-seed after blowing a big lead in a Big Ten Tournament loss to Indiana. The Wolverines open against 6-seed Colorado State (25-5) in the Rams' first tournament trip since 2013 behind David Roddy, the Mountain West player of the year.

Kansas earns No. 1 seed in Midwest Region

BY DAVE SKRETTA
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

LAWRENCE, Kan. — Kansas fought its way through arguably the toughest league in college basketball this season, ultimately sharing the Big 12 regular-season title with Baylor before romping past Texas Tech to win the conference tournament.

Maybe it's karma that the Jayhawks could have the easiest path of a No. 1 seed to the Final Four.

They earned the top seed line for the 15th time on Sunday, second only to North Carolina for most in college hoops history, and Big 12 player of the year Ochai Agbaji and Co. will open the NCAA Tournament in the Midwest Region against the play-in winner between Texas Southern and Texas A&M-Corpus Christi in Fort Worth, Texas.

The Midwest Region is loaded with big-name talent, starting with Auburn standout Jabari Smith, the likely No. 1 pick in the NBA Draft.

"I mean, being a 1-seed shows you've gone through the whole year, put in all the work, the grind it takes to be a 1-seed," Kansas forward Jalen Wilson said, "and now it's time to show it. It comes with the good and bad. Now you have everyone gunning for you. We're used to getting everyone's best shot anyway. Just have to represent it well."

Jayhawks coach Bill Self has a No. 1 seed for the 10th time, third-most in history, trailing only retiring Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski with 14 and former Kansas and North Carolina coach Roy Williams with 13.

"I never love our draw and I probably don't this year, either," Self said, "but I certainly don't hate it."

While the Jayhawks never reached the top spot in the Top 25 this season, their biggest roadblock to reaching New Orleans spent three weeks there. That would be second-seeded Auburn, the regular-season SEC champs, who will begin their quest for a second Final Four appearance four years against Jacksonville State in Greenville, South Carolina.

The Tigers were in line for a No. 1 seed for most of the season, but they took their lumps down the stretch, losing five of their last nine games to slip a line on the bracket. That included a quarterfinal loss to Texas A&M in the SEC tourney.

Other favorites to reach the Midwest Region semifinals in Chicago include No. 3 seed Wisconsin and fifth-seeded Iowa, which won its first Big Ten tourney title since 2006 with a victory over Purdue on Sunday; Big East regular-season champ Providence; and No. 6 seed LSU, which will play under interim coach Kevin Nickelberry after firing Will Wade over the weekend, one day after the Tigers were beaten by Arkansas in the quarterfinals SEC Tournament.

Allegations against Wade stem from a wide FBI investigation into corruption in college basketball that has implicated numerous major programs, including two others in the Midwest Region: Kansas and Auburn.

"Everyone is 0-0," Auburn guard Zep Jasper said. "We're going to play for our family, our fans, the community and just everyone. ... We're trying to get to NOLA. We're trying to get to the Final Four and maybe even a championship."

STAR SEARCH

The Midwest Region is loaded with big-name talent, starting with Auburn standout Jabari Smith, the likely No. 1 pick in the NBA Draft. The 6-foot-10 freshman is averaging about 17 points and nine rebounds a game.

Along with Smith and Agbaji there's Iowa standout Keegan Murray, the nation's fourth-leading scorer; Wisconsin shooting guard Johnny Davis, another likely lottery pick; and Auburn's Walker Kessler, who should be picked in the top 20.

WEST COAST, BEST COAST

Gonzaga and Arizona are No. 1 seeds elsewhere in the bracket, but the dominance of the Pacific time zone this season is evident in the Midwest Region, too. Seventh-seeded USC is back after a run to the regional finals last year, while eighth-seeded San Diego State lost a 53-52 nail-biter to Boise State in the Mountain West tourney title game.

HOME COOKING

The third-seeded Badgers should have the biggest fan advantage of anyone in the opening two rounds of the tourney, playing Colgate and a potential second-round game against LSU or Iowa State in Milwaukee. Fiserv Forum is just over an hour from the Wisconsin campus in Madison.

GETTING HOT IN HERE

No. 12 seed Richmond heads into its game against the Hawkeyes on the heels of an Atlantic 10 Tournament title that the Spiders probably needed just to make the 68-team field. Other teams heating up at the right time include 14-seed Colgate, which has won 15 straight, including its romp to the Patriot League tourney title; and 13th-seeded South Dakota State, which put together a gaudy 30-4 record and hasn't lost a game since Dec. 15.

ROAD TO NEW ORLEANS

Kansas could be the biggest favorite of the four No. 1 seeds to reach New Orleans, but much like the rest of the bracket, even the Midwest Region is wide open. Wisconsin and Iowa fought to high seeds out of a brutally tough Big Ten, while the Tigers of coach Bruce Pearl showed earlier this season that they're capable of being the nation's No. 1.

LOCAL LEAGUES

HANOVER MEN'S
Spring Basketball League
Sunday, March 13

Dream Team 82, Pistol City Shooters 78 — Tyler Kramer had 43 points and Austin Kramer 23 for the Dream Team. Bruce Johnson had 30 for Pistol City.

Too Cold 59, Showtime 44 — Trent Potter had 21 points for Too Cold while Chancey May had 14 for Showtime.

Ballerz 73, Madison Basketball Team 62 — Kyle Amburgey and Deven Chatham each had 14 points for the Ballerz. Nick Meacham scored 26 points and Jacob Bell had 16 for Madison.

Gonzaga gets second straight NCAA No. 1 overall seed

BY JOHN MARSHALL
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

Touting his team's accomplishments has become a defense mechanism for Gonzaga coach Mark Few.

Hard to blame him with all the complaints that the Zags don't play anyone and are in a weak conference.

The resume should speak for itself. Gonzaga has been to the national championship game twice in the past four years, reached the Sweet 16 10 times and annually plays one of the nation's toughest nonconference schedules, winning most of those games.

And add one more: another No. 1 seed in the NCAA Tournament.

Top-ranked Gonzaga is the No. 1 overall seed for the second straight season in the 68-team bracket released Sunday. The Zags open against No. 16 seed Georgia State in Portland, Oregon, on Thursday in a West Region that includes No. 2 seed Duke in coach Mike Krzyzewski's final NCAA Tournament, No. 3 Texas Tech and No. 4 Arkansas.

The West Regional finishes in San Francisco.

"It's quite an accomplishment by this group to go all the way through a season like this and end up with another No. 1 seed," Few said Tuesday after the Zags clinched their eighth West Coast Conference tournament title in nine years. "I know sometimes people just expect that, but it doesn't magically happen. There's so much work that goes into it, everybody's gunning for us."

Gonzaga (26-3) has been a No. 1 seed three of the past four seasons and would have added another had the pandemic not canceled the 2020 postseason. The Zags were the No. 1 overall seed a year ago and reached the national title game, losing to Baylor.

Gonzaga has the type of roster to make another deep run.

The Zags are big, their post anchored by preseason All-American Drew Timme and freshman sensation Chet Holmgren. Senior Andrew Nembhard is often the best player on the floor and leads a group of guards who can shoot from the perimeter or blow past defenders off the dribble.

Gonzaga led the nation in scoring, is No. 1 in the KenPom.com efficiency ratings and won games by an average of 22.5 points.

"They can shoot the ball, have a ridiculous inside game, defend well, big and have good shooters," said Saint Mary's coach Randy Bennett, whose team is the No. 5 seed in the East Region. "Their offense is as good as any in the country."

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STATE OF INDIANA IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
CAUSE NO. 39C01-2203-EU-000017
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF JUAN CARDENAS, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that on March 4, 2022, Jeff Sarver was appointed personal representative of the estate of Juan Cardenas, deceased, who died on February 4, 2022.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Madison, Indiana, this 4th day of March 2022.
/s/ Tabatha Eblen
Clerk, Jefferson Circuit Court
HSPAXLP

Public Notice
Notice of Annual Membership Meeting of the Dupont Water Company Inc.
The Dupont Water Company Inc. will be holding its annual meeting, Monday, March 21, 2022 at 7:30 pm at the Dupont Water Co. office located at 6430 W South Street in Dupont, Indiana. The meeting will consist of the election of board members and other items that may be brought up for discussion. hspaxlp

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
MADISON REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
[EASTERN WOODED STRIP]
Notice is hereby given that the Madison Redevelopment Commission (the "Commission") will accept proposals by email sent to Tony Steinhardt, Director of Economic Development, at tsteinhardt@madison-in.gov, up to the hour of 10:00 a.m. (local time) on Tuesday, April 5, 2022. Notice is further given that a public meeting of the Commission will be held on Tuesday, April 5, 2022, at 3:00 p.m. (local time) at the Madison City Hall, 101 West Main St., Madison, Indiana, at which time and place the Commission shall open and consider each proposal pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-22, for the purchase of certain real property, being made available for development purposes in the North Madison Economic Development Area, said property including 11.65 acres, more or less.
The Offering Sheet containing a detailed description of and the offering price for the property described above and terms upon which the sale shall be awarded, as well as certain limitations on the use to be made of the property described above, is available upon request from Tony Steinhardt at tsteinhardt@madison-in.gov.
Each proposal shall be executed in the manner provided for in the Offering Sheet. Pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-22, any proposal submitted by a trust (as defined in Indiana Code 30-4-1-1(a)) must identify each (i) beneficiary of the trust and (ii) settlor empowered to revoke or modify the trust.
Dated this 9th day of March, 2022.
President, Madison Redevelopment Commission hspaxlp

STATE OF INDIANA
IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
CAUSE NO. 39C01-2203-EU-000016
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF ANTHONY ROY, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that on March 4, 2022, Stacey Goode was appointed personal representative of the estate of Anthony Roy, deceased, who died on January 31, 2022.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Madison Indiana, this 4th day of March 2022.
Tabatha Eblen
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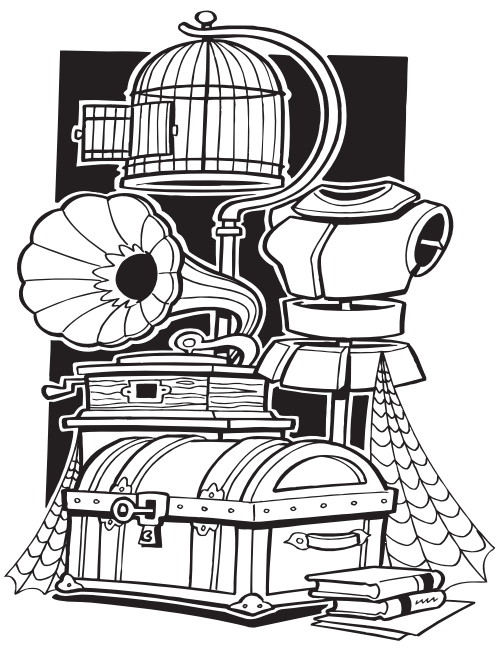

TUESDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	NBC	News	News	Rock	Mr.	This Is Us (N)		The Thing-Pam		News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	Theory	Sheldon	FBI CC		FBI: Internat		FBI-Wanted		News
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC	WLWT	Holly	Rock	Mr.	This Is Us (N)		The Thing-Pam		News
8 WISH	12		News 8 at 6PM		Inside	ET	Superman-Lois		Naomi CC		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	News	The List	The Bachelor (Season Finale) (N)				Abbott	Abbott	News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	The Bachelor (Season Finale) (N)				Abbott	Abbott	News
15 WKPC	13		Collect	News	PBS NewsHour		Finding-Roots		Frontline (N)		Frontline CC		Legis.
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	The Resident		Masked Singer		FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS	Wheel	J'pardy!	FBI CC		FBI: Internat		FBI-Wanted		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Mod	Last	Sheldon	Theory	Superman-Lois		Naomi CC		Theory	Sheldon	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	The Resident		Masked Singer		WDRB News		News
A&E	28	36	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Deep	Deep	Storage
AMC	29	26	(4:00) ★★★ "Casino" (1995) CC				★★★ "Die Hard" (1988, Action) Bruce Willis. CC						"Die
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	(:45) The Office		Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Daily
DISC	31	38	Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		Street Outlaws		
DISN	25	29	Lady	Lady	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Big City	Big City	Lady
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		2022 NIT Basketball Tournament				2022 NIT Basketball Tournament				Sports
FREE	18	40	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	700
FX	40	28	"Fast & Furious: Hobbs & Shaw"				★★ "Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom" (2018)						"Juras
HBO	201	17	Gilded	(:45) ★★★ "Pacific Rim" (2013) CC					Phoenix Rising		Winning Time		Game
MAX	270	73	(:11) ★★ "The Wood" (1999) CC				"Seeking a Friend"			(:43) ★★ "How to Be Single" CC			
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	★★ "Tommy Boy" (1995) Chris Farley.					★★ "Fist Fight" (2017) CC			
SHOW	221	16	(5:30) ★★★ "Misery"		"The Djinn" (2021)				"After Yang" (2021) CC			"Boogie Nights"	
TMC	233	74	"The Vanishing of Sidney Hall"		"Perks of Being"					(:45) ★★★ "Nowhere Boy" (2009)			
TNT	27	43	(5:30) ★★★ "Back to the Future"				★★★ "Back to the Future Part II" (1989)					"Future III"	
USA	26	33	Law & Order		Law & Order		WWE NXT (N) (Live) CC				(:08) ★★★ "Taken" (2008)		
WGN-A	20	20	Donlon Report		On Balance		Marni Hughes		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N) CC		News

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3 WAVE	6	2	News	NBC	News	News	Chicago Med (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago P.D. (N)		News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	Theory	Sheldon	Survivor (N) CC		Beyond the		FBI CC		News
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC	WLWT	Holly	Chicago Med (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago P.D. (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News	Mad	Inside	ET	The Flash (N)		Kung Fu (N) CC		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	News	The List	Gold	Wonder	Con	Home	Million Little		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	Gold	Wonder	Con	Home	Million Little		News
15 WKPC	13		Con	News	PBS NewsHour		Nature		NOVA		Expedition-Stev		Legis.
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	Masked Singer		Domino Masters		FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS	WLKY March		Survivor (N) CC		Beyond the		FBI CC		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Mod	Last	Sheldon	Theory	The Flash (N)		Kung Fu (N) CC		Theory	Sheldon	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	Masked Singer		Domino Masters		WDRB News		News
A&E	28	36	Court	Court	Court	Court	Court	Court	Court	Court	Neigh	Neigh	Court
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ★★★ "Die Hard 2" (1990)				★★★ "Die Hard With a Vengeance" (1995) CC						"Live
COM	45	59	South	South	South	South	South	Fair	South	South	South	South	Daily
DISC	31	38	Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Moonshiners "It Takes Amanda"				(:03) Bee Czar		Distiller
DISN	25	29	Lady	Lady	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Raven	Raven	Big City	Big City	Lady
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		NBA		NBA Basketball: Mavericks at Nets				NBA Basketball		
FREE	18	40	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Good Trouble		700
FX	40	28	"Now	★★ "Transformers: The Last Knight" (2017) Mark Wahlberg.							Snowfall (N) CC		Snow
HBO	201	17	Game	★★★ "Tenet" (2020, Action) CC					Phoenix Rising (N) CC			The Gilded Age	
MAX	270	73	(:05) ★★★ "Let Him Go" (2020)				★★★ "Transformers" (2007) Shia LaBeouf.					(:25) "Oblivion"	
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	★★★ "Men in Black" (1997)				★★ "Men in Black II" (2002)				"MIB
SHOW	221	16	(5:35) ★★ "Footloose"		★ "Empire Records" CC				"Diary of a Teen"			"Mainstream"	
TMC	233	74	(:15) ★★★ "The Parallax View"				★★★★ "Alien" (1979) Premiere.				★★★★ "Aliens" (1986)		
TNT	27	43	(5:00) ★★ "The Meg"				NHL Hockey: Bruins at Wild				NHL Hockey		
USA	26	33	Law-	Law & Order		Law-	Law & Order		Law & Order		Temptation Isl.		Court
WGN-A	20	20	Donlon Report		On Balance		Marni Hughes		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N) CC		News

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by Luis Campos

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"K VDX'A ACKXN TDL EPX WPNG TDLU NKVH' VUGPWH TDLU DBX. ACGT XGGV TDL AD HLOODUA ACGW KX ACGKU VUGPWH." — JKMMT EUTHAPM

Previous Solution: "Practice kindness all day to everybody and you will realize you're already in heaven now." — Jack Kerouac

TODAY'S CLUE: W = a

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Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

"Y AEVO LR OYJW JWV OPEU 'NPMLTJVVE' CF C NVEH RPOVESLM OPEU YT BH SCBYMH. Y OCF YTFRYEVU XH BH BPJWVE." — VNC MPTAPEYC

Previous Solution: "I don't think you can make your kids' dreams your own. They need you to support them in their dreams." — Billy Crystal

TODAY'S CLUE: B = a

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DIFFICULTY RATING: ★☆☆☆☆

		2		4	7			1
1			3		8			
4		8		6	1	9		3
2	5		4					9
	4	7				6	5	
6					9		1	4
8		6	7	1		3		5
			6		2			8
7			8	3		2		

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HOW TO PLAY: Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

PREVIOUS SOLUTION

6	8	5	7	1	9	3	2	4
9	1	3	5	4	2	6	8	7
2	7	4	3	8	6	9	1	5
7	9	1	2	6	4	8	5	3
3	4	6	9	5	8	2	7	1
8	5	2	1	3	7	4	9	6
5	3	8	4	9	1	7	6	2
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6	2	1		3				

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HOW TO PLAY: Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

PREVIOUS SOLUTION

3	6	2	9	4	7	5	8	1
1	9	5	3	2	8	4	6	7
4	7	8	5	6	1	9	2	3
2	5	1	4	7	6	8	3	9
9	4	7	1	8	3	6	5	2
6	8	3	2	5	9	7	1	4
8	2	6	7	1	4	3	9	5
5	3	4	6	9	2	1	7	8
7	1	9	8	3	5	2	4	6

ACROSS

1 Humid
5 "Fancy" singer
9 Insect pest
13 Caboose's place
14 Beauty parlor
15 Overhaul
16 Alice's chronicler
17 Vibrates
18 FitzGerald's poet
19 Swipes
21 Breathtaking
23 Tried out
24 Ice-skating jumps
25 Skips past
27 Smelled terrible
31 Knowing look
34 "There's no — thing!"
36 Evaluate
37 Night hunter
38 Treatment
40 Dead heat
41 Contradict
43 Threshold
44 Decomposes
45 Took the dais
47 Sandy expanse
49 Biscotto flavor
51 Teenagers
55 Wall Street worker
58 Dory
59 Strauss of blue jeans
60 Theme
62 Soft tone
63 Field
64 Remote
65 Pealed
66 Threadbare
67 Helped a borrower
68 — noire

DOWN

1 Pub order
2 Cliffside abode
3 Retail centers
4 Supervise, as an exam
5 Super Bowl cheers
6 Cotton gin name
7 Common cleanser
8 Grab the phone
9 More disgusting
10 Jules Verne captain
11 Father of Cain
12 Ripped
14 Type of meatballs
20 Do a sewing chore
22 Melancholy poem
24 Impute
26 Cal. day
28 Green Hornet's assistant
29 Shorten an article
30 Sandra and Ruby
31 Gray wolf
32 Basin companion
33 She, in Seville
35 Sound in body
38 — -bopper
39 Semifinal game (hyph.)
42 From Rome
44 Kind of pie
46 Bleak
48 Farm animal
50 Took unlawfully
52 Close-fitting hat
53 Come as a ghost
54 Put on a play
55 — — unto itself
56 Ruler before Galba
57 State definitely
58 Public disorder
61 2,000 pounds

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

E	R	G	O	■	S	H	A	D	■	W	I	M	P	S
Y	U	R	T	■	T	O	N	I	■	A	D	O	R	E
E	D	I	T	■	R	O	T	S	■	L	Y	R	I	C
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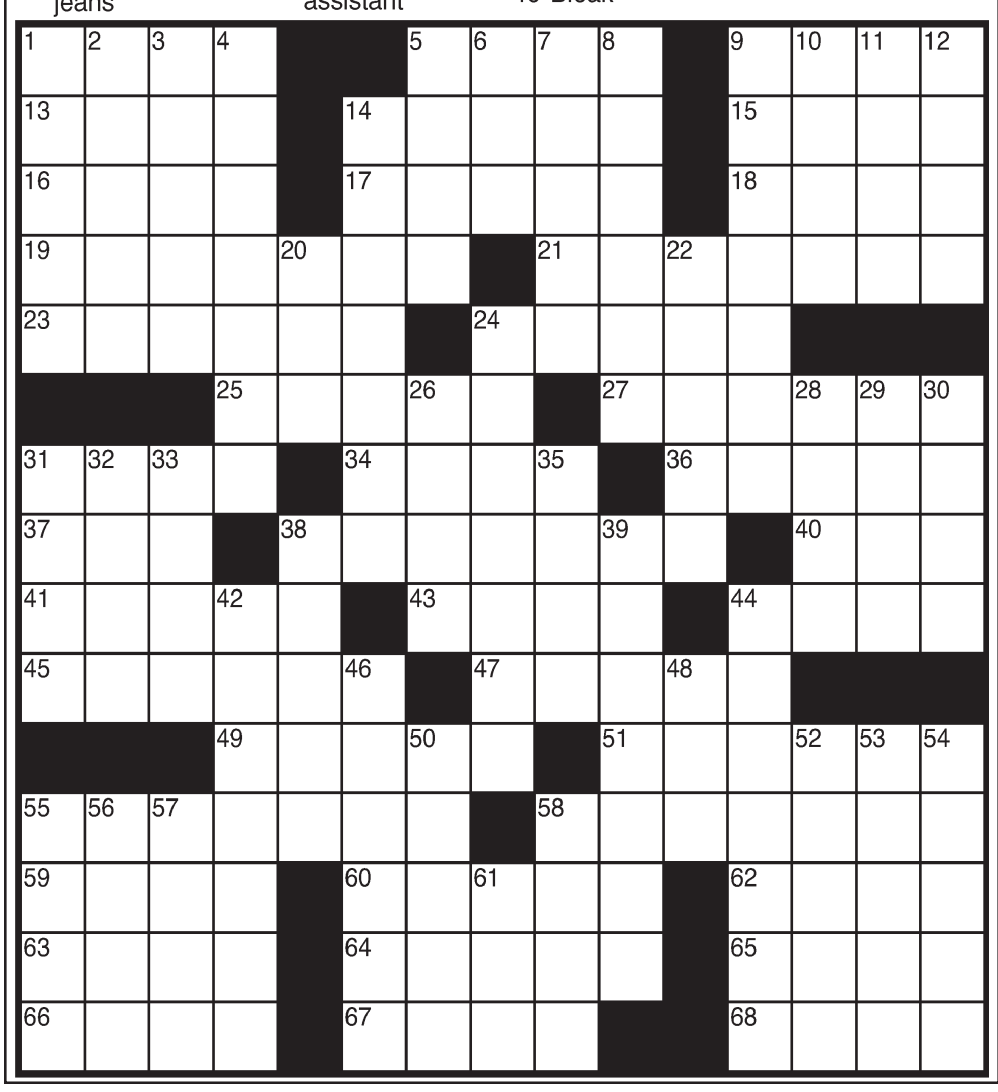

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15 Come up
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23 Parlor piece
25 Painter — Chagall
26 More cunning
27 Library abbr.
28 Stately trees
32 Mandolin cousin
33 Trains for boxing
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37 Gradation of color
38 Lemon drink
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46 Know somehow
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54 Caribbean dance
55 Set free
57 Manner
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63 Long for
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65 Aquatic birds
66 Cozy dwelling

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1 Service station buy
2 Grounded bird
3 Beret cousin
4 Kind of nightgown
5 Padded envelopes
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7 DVD player need
8 Ames inst.
9 Breakfast foods
10 Forces
11 — May Wong
12 Minority group
13 Clueless
19 Menacing sound
21 Summer in Cannes
23 More grouchy
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27 Jump over
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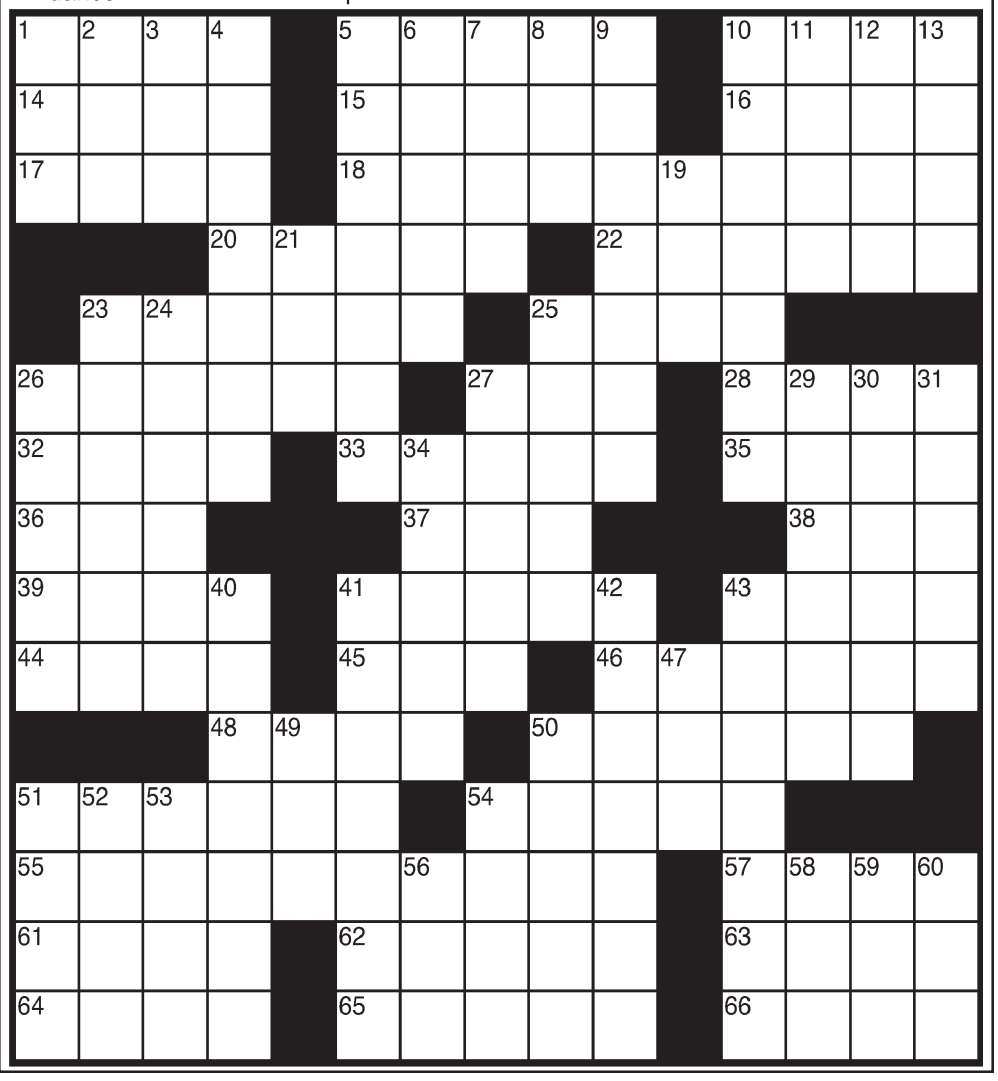

Twins get pitching vet Gray from Reds for 1st-rounder Petty

BY DAVE CAMPBELL
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The Minnesota Twins emerged from the lockout with a pressing need for starting pitching.

Prices are as steep as ever: Getting Sonny Gray from the Cincinnati Reds cost the Twins their most recent first-round draft pick.

The Twins took their first significant step toward restocking their rotation on Sunday, acquiring the right-hander Gray on Sunday in a trade that sent pitching prospect Chase Petty to the Reds. The Reds included minor league right-hander Francis Peguero in the deal for Petty, who was the 26th overall selection as a high-schooler last summer.

"We're excited about his future, but the ability to access someone like Sonny Gray, who we think pitches at the top of the rotation for anybody, it's very unique," Twins president of baseball operations Derek Falvey said. "We think this is a guy who really establishes an anchor in our rotation, a guy that young players can look up to and someone we think is really going to lead us."

The 32-year-old Gray, a two-time All-Star, went 7-9 with a 4.19 ERA and 155 strikeouts over 135 1/3 innings in 26 starts last season, his third with the Reds. Over nine years in the majors with the Oakland Athletics, New York Yankees and Reds, Gray has a career record of 82-72 with a 3.61 ERA. Since 2014, he is tied for eighth among right-handers in baseball with 204 starts.

"He's got great stuff," Falvey said. "But beyond that, just the way he competes every time he goes on the mound, that just adds a level of pushing him up a notch in a rotation."

Entering the final guaranteed season of the deal he signed with the Reds to complete a trade from the Yankees in 2019, Gray will make a little more than $10 million. The Twins hold a $12 million club option for 2023 that can escalate based on his innings total this year and conveniently comes without a buyout. Gray was one of the most obvious and valuable trade chips for Cincinnati, coming off a so-so 83-79 season.

The Reds have begun a bit of a reset, having already lost starting pitcher Wade Miley via waivers to the Chicago Cubs and traded catcher Tucker Barnhart.

"It is a loss in the rotation," general manager Nick Krall said. "We're going to look to fill that, whether it's internally or externally. We're still looking at the free agent market. We're still looking at the trade market. We're still trying to run our offseason as we're going into spring training."

Gray will slot right in at the top of Minnesota's rotation, which was ravaged last year by the trade of José Berríos and the elbow injury to Kenta Maeda that will keep him out for most or all of 2022. Michael Pineda became a free agent and could re-sign if the price is right.

Otherwise, behind Gray, the Twins have Bailey Ober and Joe Ryan coming off promising rookie seasons, Randy Dobnak recovering from an injury-spoiled 2021 and reclamation project Dylan Bundy, who was signed as a free agent right before the lockout. There are promising prospects like Jordan Balazovic, Simeon Woods Richardson, Jhoan Duran, Josh Winder and Matt Canterino behind them, but they're not likely to be deemed ready to break camp with the team, particularly after an abbreviated spring training.

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